# Annual Dairy Industries Show Draws Refrigeration Exhibits

Frigidaire, Kelvinator, Universal Cooler, General Electric, York, Copeland, Anheuser Busch, Chester Dairy Supply, Creamery Package, Kold Hold, and Many Others Display Products In Cleveland

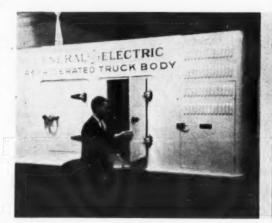








(1) Complicated machinery like this was displayed to thousands of interested dairymen who attended the eighth dairy industries exposition at Cleveland recently. (2) Corner of Chester Dairy Supply Co.'s exhibit. (3 & 4) Universal Cooler exhibits at the show featured refrigeration equipment for retailers of dairy products.





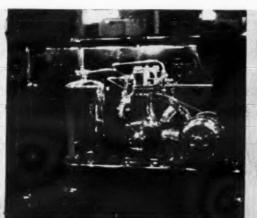




(1) A refrigerated truck was the only G-E exhibit at the show. (2, 3 & 4) Trucks refrigerated by solid carbon dioxide were in the ascendancy among the exhibits.









(1) Frigidaire had a strong selling force prepared to talk to those interested in its ice cream cabinets and other equipment. (2) Two prospects are given the Kelvinator story by a crack floor salesman. (3) Kelvinator's "million dollar" chromium-plated unit. (4) Frigidaire had household refrigerators in its exhibit. Above you see a salesman (dark suit) pocketing a signed order.



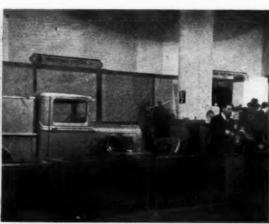






All four of the above pictures were taken in the Anheuser-Busch exhibit. As can be seen, Copeland machines were also on display in the exhibit.









Refrigerated trucks again captured major attention at the show. (1) Kold-Hold's refrigerated truck and forced-convection system for milk hauling were ably demonstrated. (2) Waltham System presented its cartridge refrigeration for trucks and ice cream cabinets. (3) Meyer Body Co. had its big trucks very much in evidence. (4) Mathieson solid carbon dioxide was offered to truck users who prefer this method of refrigeration. Candid camera pictures on this page were all taken by the editor.

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# REFRIGERATION NEWS BEREAD ON ARRIVAL

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# **Units Shipped in** Sept. by Industry

# Sales of All Firms Total 1,272,600 Refrigerators In Nine Months

DETROIT — Following the downward trend which characterized busiconditions in general during September, industry sales of house-hold electric refrigerators to all distributors and dealers fell off sharply during the month to 47,600 units. This figure shows a 47 per cent decrease from August of 1934 when sales were estimated at 90,200 and is 34 per cent lower than the figure for September, 1933, which was set at 72.300 units.

During the first nine months of the current year, industry manufacturers shipped 1,272,600 household electric refrigerators to distributors and dealers throughout the world, this being about 33 per cent ahead of the same period of 1933 when sales totaled 56,800 units.

In spite of the sharp decline in volume experienced during the month of September, sales for the first three periods of 1934 are 18 per cent ahead of the mark of 1,080,700 set for the entire twelve months of 1933.

Domestic sales by industry companies totaled 38,100 units for September bringing the cumulative total for United States to 1,183,600 for the nine-months period. Industry manufacturers exported an estimated 9,500 household electric refrigerators during the month for a cumulative export total of approximately 89,000 units.

Shipments reported for 13 members of the Refrigeration Division of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (Nema) totaled 42,120 units for the month of September bringing the nine-months figure to 1,124,975. Nema sales in the United States only amounted to 33,668 during September making a nine-months total of 1,046,287. Exports by Nema companies totaled 8,452 units for a

cumulative figure of 78,688.

The following 13 member companies reported September sales to the association: Crosley, Frigidaire, General Electric, Gibson, Kelvinator, Leonard, Norge, Servel, Stewart-Warner, Sunbeam, Uniflow, Universal Cooler, and Westinghouse. Included in the Nema report were units manufactured by member companies for Major Appliance Corp., Potter Refrigerator Corp., Montgomery Ward & Co., Sears, Roebuck & Co., and Truscon Steel Co Members not reporting sales were Apex, Jomoco, Merchant & Evans,

and Sparks-Withington. The detailed report of Nema sales for September will be found on page 13 of this issue.

# TVA-Knoxville Deal Not Completed

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. - The limit on the agreement that would have enabled the Tennessee Valley Authority to purchase electrical equipment for supplying Knoxville with TVA power expired Oct. 31 without the deal being consummated.

The equipment which the TVA sought belongs to the Tennessee Public Service Co. After long negotiation, the company agreed to sell the property to TVA for \$6,191,000, and the sale was to take place by Oct. 31. Bondholders had agreed and had deposited their bonds, which were to be redeemed when the cash was paid over by the TVA.

What held up the deal was the opposition of 13 coal and ice companies, who fear the competition of water-power electricity and electric refrigeration. They fought approval of the sale in hearings before the state's public utility commission, contending that the TVA purchase was unconstitutional.

The commission ruled the sale was in the public interest, in that it would bring cheaper electricity to Knoxville, but the commission would not rule on

the question of constitutionality. On Oct. 26 the coal and ice companies carried their fight to the circuit court at Nashville, applying for an order restraining the TVA from going

ahead with its purchase. The injunction was granted and then thrown out the next day by the (Concluded on Page 7, Column 1)

# 20,000 Sq. Ft. Addition

ST. PAUL-Seeger Refrigerator Co. is erecting a new building with 20,000 sq. ft. of floor space here to handle increase for Seeger commercial refrigerator, household cabinet, and beer cooler products, company officials have announced.

The new addition will house a part of the metal working department, and the entire plant is being revised to increase the firm's production capacity. The household cabinet division will now be able to turn out 50 cabinets per hour, it was announced.

# **Engineers Will Open** Convention Dec. 6

NEW YORK CITY-Complete program for the 30th annual winter meeting of the American Society of Refrigerating Engineers to be held at the Hotel New Yorker here, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, Dec. 6, 7, and 8, has just been announced. The meetings have been arranged in four groups of three talks each on related

The first, Wednesday morning, is on "Technical Problems," under the chairmanship of A. R. Stevenson, president of the society. Speakers will be R. U. Berry of General Electric's air-conditioning department on "Air as a Refrigerant"; Philip Drinker and W. L. Pierce of the Harvard School of Public Health on "Air Conditioning and Odor Control"; and A. D. Moore of the University of Michigan on William Health of Michigan of Michigan on William Health of Michigan on William Health of Michigan on William Health of Michigan of Michigan on William Health of Michigan on William Health of Michigan "Visual Heat Transfer Measurement."

The welcome luncheon Wednesday noon will be addressed by David C. Coyle, a speaker on economic issues.

Wednesday afternoon's meeting will be on "Refrigeration of Foods," with A. H. Baer, past president of the society in the chair. Speakers will be A. W. Ewell of Worcester Polytechnic Institute on "Storage of (Concluded on Page 16, Column 5)

# **Detroit Refrigeration Code** Up Again This Friday

DETROIT-Halstead Mills, chief safety engineer of the City of Detroit, announces that a meeting to consider Detroit's refrigeration ordinance will be held at 2 p. m. Friday, Nov. 9, in the City Service building. The meeting will be in charge of Joseph P. Wolff, commission of the department of buildings and safety engineering.

# **Three Factories** To Detroit Plant

# Copeland, Mayflower and Zerozone Operations Being Moved

DETROIT—Copeland, Mayflower, and Zerozone electric refrigeration equipment will henceforth be manufactured in Detroit and sales of these products will be directed from offices in the Motor City, it was announced last week by Dallas E. Winslow, president of Winslow-Baker-Meyering Corp., parent corporation of Copeland Refrigerator Corp., Trupar Mfg. Co., and Zerozone Corp.

A long-term lease has been taken on the manufacturing plant at 1331 Holden Ave. here formerly occupied by the Lincoln Motor Car Co. and

now owned by Murray Body Corp. Expansion of production facilities and centralization of sales activities were given as the reasons for this move by Mr. Winslow.

Other new manufacturing units of

Winslow-Baker-Meyering Corp. may be housed in the Detroit plant as they are acquired in the future, Mr. Winslow declared.

Removal of machinery and equipment from the Copeland plant in Mt. Clemens has already started, Mr. Winslow said, and the plant will probably be entirely vacated

Persons now employed at the Copeland plant will be given the option of taking employment with the firm in its new location.

# Carbondale Merges With Worthington

CARBONDALE, Pa.-Consolidation of the Carbondale Machine Co. here with the Worthington Pump & Machinery Corp. of Harrison, N. J., has just been announced, and hereafter refrigeration division of the merged organization will be operated as the Carbondale Machine Corp. with all manufacturing and sales activities in Harrison. Manufacturing equipment is being transferred from Carbondale to Harrison.

Products to be manufactured include Carbondale's condensers, piping systems, industrial compressors, filter presses, ice-making systems, and special processes equipment such as the oil-dewaxing apparatus which Carbon-

**Announcement** 

# To All Manufacturers of Refrigeration And Air-Conditioning Equipment

The 1935 Refrigeration Directory and Market Data Book, the third edition compiled for the refrigeration industry, is now being prepared. Manufacturers of household and commercial refrigeration and air-conditioning products who were not listed in the 1934 edition are invited to submit information which will permit proper listing in the new edition.

If you are a manufacturer of refrigeration or air-conditioning systems, equipment, parts, materials, supplies, or accessories your company name and products should appear in the 1935 DIRECTORY. There is no charge.

The following information about your company is desired: 1. Your company name and complete address, telephone

number, and location of branch offices. 2. Officers and department heads who have supervision of

refrigeration or air-conditioning business. 3. A detailed description of products manufactured for, or used by, the refrigeration industry.

4. The trade names of your products.

5. Descriptive literature or catalogs covering your products to assure proper classification.

Manufacturers who were listed in the 1934 DIRECTORY have already received questionnaire forms for correction of listings and are urged to return the necessary information promptly in order that the work of revising listings may proceed as rapidly as possible.

# 47,600 Domestic Seeger Constructing Winslow Moves Fairbanks-Morse' 1935 Line To Stress Conservador Feature

# Cabinet Type Are Also Placed on Market

CHICAGO-Fairbanks, Morse & Co. of this city is entering the air-conditioning field with two cabinet-type units for year-'round operation. They are designed for use of cold water as the cooling medium, but mechanical refrigeration may be used if desired.

Warm air passing through the "Ortho-Clime" conditioner is subjected to a two-stage temperature reduction. It passes over one bank of coils which effects the first drop, then over a second bank which is colder than the first because of the counter-flow of the cooling medium.

Cleaning of summer air occurs as it passes across the coils which have become wet during the dehumidification process. Warm air is drawn in through the rear of the cabinet by (Concluded on Page 12, Column 4)

# Crosley Shows Net Profit of \$412,942

CINCINNATI-Crosley Radio Corp. reports, for the six months ended September 30, net profits of \$412,942, equal to 75 cents a share, as compared with a net profit of \$169,805, or 31 cents a share for the corresponding six months period in 1933.

For the quarter ended September 30, the net profit was \$72,274, equal to 13 cents a share, compared with \$340,668, or 62 cents a share in the previous quarter, and \$64,894, or 12 cents a share in the corresponding 1933 quarter.

Sales of Crosley electric refrigera tors and radios for the six months ended September 30 totaled \$8,401,651, as compared with \$4,633,578 in the same period in 1933.

# Utilities Sales Moves To Larger Quarters

CHICAGO — Utilities Engineering Sales Co., wholesale distributor of tools, parts, supplies and accessories for electric refrigeration, has just moved to larger quarters at 410 N. Wells St. here, according to E. P. Sorensen, president of the firm.

The company will continue in its policy of doing no servicing, and handling products on a wholesale basis only, Mr. Sorensen stated.

A new catalog has just been issued, describing valves, fittings, tools, torches, tubing, gauges, belts, controls, expansion valves, gaskets, motor brushes, porcelain repair kits, compressors, compressor seals, refrigerby the Utilities Engineering Sales Co.

# **New Dealers Appointed** By Crosley

CINCINNATI - A number of the largest retail stores in the country have just been added to the list of Crosley authorized dealers, it was reported by H. E. Richardson, assistant to Powel Crosley, Jr., in charge of sales, Crosley Radio Corp., upon his return from an eastern trip.

Among the newly designated retail outlets are: the Kresge department store, Newark, N. J.; Hecht's department store, Washington, D. C., which will now carry Crosley radios in addition to Crosley refrigerators; The Hub Furniture store, Washington, D. C.; Ludwig Bauman stores in New York City and Newark; Stern & Co., Whitehills, Lit Brothers and Schuman Brothers furniture store, all in Philadelphia; Marshall Field & Co., and Weiboldt's five stores in Chicago.

# Kelvinator Air-Conditioning Production Dept. Enlarged

DETROIT-Production facilities in the air-conditioning division of Kelvinator Corp.'s factory here are being expanded in preparation for the company's 1935 program in that field, according to officials. The sales division likewise is expanding its organization to promote air-conditioning sales next

# Two Air Conditioners of Distinctive Cabinet Styling Is Another Innovation Of 4-Model Line

By George F. Taubeneck

CHICAGO-"Three months free refrigeration each year" will be the theme of 1935 Fairbanks-Morse re-

frigerator advertising.
How do they get that way? Well, it's like this:

Fairbanks-Morse refrigerators for 1935 will all have the Conservadornewest of the devices (Glasser patent) for storing food within the door of the cabinet. This Conservador, say Fairbanks-Morse people, "plugs the costliest leak in refrigeration."

"When the door of the ordinary re-frigerator is opened," they argue, "cold spills out. Thus a normal housewife loses 30 per cent of her refrigeration every day. The Conservador, which plugs the opening to the food compartment, has room on its shelves for the most frequently used foodsgiving Fairbanks-Morse owners three months of free refrigeration each year."

The Conservador, principal feature of the new Fairbanks-Morse refrigerator, is the invention of Harold A. Glasser, sales manager of the home appliance division of Bruno-New York, Inc., former Gibson distributor in the New York territory. It was more than two years in the developmental process.

#### Patents Owned by Bruno

Upon receipt of the Conservador patents, Mr. Glasser assigned them to the Bruno organization, and the latter is now licensing Fairbanks-Morse to use them exclusively. For a time Briggs Mfg. Co. cooperated with Mr. Glasser in working out refinements for the door.

When the food chamber door is opened, it reveals the Conservador, a shallow compartment for storage of fruits, dairy products, and other small food items. This compartment is cooled through louvers in its back wall, and by direct transmission of cold through the wall, and actually serves as a second door to the main food chamber. As it swings out, the Conservador fits tightly against the refrigerator door. All models have this feature.

Inventor Glasser was for two years vice president of G. A. Barlow's Son Co., Trenton G-E distributor, then left that company to organize and work with Frye-Glasser, Inc., Detroit of Stromberg - Carlson distributor

After two years in Detroit, he became associated with World Utilities Corp., old New York Norge distributor, and was sales manager of that concern for one year. This connection he terminated to take his present

### Distinct Styling Advance

Resembling the 1934 Norge and Kelvinator lines somewhat in appearance and general contours, the four 1935 Fairbanks-Morse refrigerator models represent a distinct styling advance over the 1934 line.

National retail list prices will not be established by the factory. Rather distributors will establish their own prices, based on the factory's recommended schedule for various zones. These will be approximately as follows: 4 cu. ft.—\$139.50, 5 cu. ft.— \$189.50, 6 cu. ft.-\$219.50, 8 cu. ft.-\$289.50.

Distributors saw the new line at a neeting held last week in Chicago's Hotel Stevens, and placed orders immediately. Irving Sarnoff of Bruno-New York, Inc., led off with an initial order of 1,500 boxes, while Roskin Distributors of Boston ordered seven carloads, and others-among them the Jenkins Music Co. of Kansas Cityfollowed suit with additional carload orders.

A year-'round unit air conditioner, the "Ortho-Clime," was also shown distributors (see details in column 4 of this page), as were the current Fairbanks-Morse radios (featuring "International Travelite Dial," which enables owners to tell the correct time at whatever foreign station they may tune in), four washing machines, and an electric ironer.

Addison Brown, sales manager of Fairbanks-Morse Home Appliances conducted the sessions. He declared (Concluded on Page 16, Column 1)

# Finance Firm Explains Way to Make Instalment Sales Pay

Bankers-Commercial Security Co., Inc. 270 Madison Ave., at 39th St. New York, N. Y.

We were very much interested in reading your editorial in the Oct. 10 issue of your interesting paper. Since a number of the statements made in that editorial are at variance with an article which recently appeared in "The Bulletin," we thought you would be interested in seeing a reprint of our criticisms and suggestions as to merchandising by department

As you probably know, "The Bulletin" is published monthly by the is published monthly by the National Retail Dry Goods Associaleading department and dry goods stores throughout the country. It was at their suggestion that the attached article was written, entitled, "Handling Instalment Sales At a Profit."

You will note that we agree with you that the adoption of a standard finance charge for all retailers, in-cluding department stores in any particular territory, is very necessary if relations between appliance retailers and their competitors among local department stores, are to be kept amicable. If you have an opportunity to do so, will you please write us your comments on our

> W. R. BENTLEY, Asst. Mgr., New Business Dept.

#### Unsound Terms Reduce Net Profits

"In the attempt to increase their volume of appliance business, many stores have made the grievous error of offering unsound terms. Unusually low down payments and time to pay are two of the most certain ways of cutting down net profit. Coupled with unsound terms, the department store's usual leniency in passing credits and following collections has probably been the reason for the elimination of supposedly unprofitable appliance departments by many stores. Successful appliance retailers in every city have demon-strated that there is money to be made in the retailing of all classes of household appliances, if these vital factors are properly controlled.

"While we have not found that credit policies have been the greatest objection to department store methods, there is generally room for improvement in that phase of making instalment sales profitable. A poor charge account will never become a good instalment account merely because the purchaser signs a title-re-taining document. Possibly the anto the credit problem lies in employing a credit manager who has received his training in some large instalment furniture house, or who has worked with a successful ap-pliance dealer, or even with a finance

#### Collections Often Neglected

"In our opinion the lenient policy of most department stores with respect to following collections promptly can be held accountable for most of the poor experience of stores doing a volume of instalment business. leading department stores in every city have always felt that a strict collection policy would curtail their business, whereas it has been defin-itely proved that such is not the case. While the methods employed by

a finance company may not be entirely adaptable to a department store, nevertheless it should be more generally appreciated that the full profit in an instalment sale is never realized until the last payment has been collected. The finance company recognizes this fact, but department stores are generally too lax in following collections closely and in making repossessions promptly when it becomes apparent that an account will not pay within a reasonable time. Without doubt, there is more room for improvement in department store methods with respect to handling collections than in any other phase of their time-payment operations.

#### Meter Plan a New Development

"During the past three years, there has appeared on the horizon a new 'star' to lead department stores to an increased volume of electric refrigerator sales. I refer to the so-called Meter Plan which has been used by hundreds of stores throughout the country in an effort to increase their refrigerator volume. There can be but little question that offering to sell refrigerators on the basis of nothing down and only 15 cents or 25 cents per day will attract a number of prospective purchasers who have previously felt that they could not afford electric refrigeration. If advertising of this plan did nothing more than attract or additional more than attract an additional amount of store traffic, it might be considered profitable without a single sale being made on that basis.

"Those stores which have been successful in developing a profitable refrigerator volume by using the Meter Plan have checked customer credit just as carefully on Meter Plan sales as they would if the customer made the usual down payment of 10 per cent. By having a collector call on the customer two or three times during the first month, to see that the operation of the meter is thoroughly understood and that it is expected the full amount of the monthly instalment will be deposited before the end of the month, these stores have been able to report an unusually satisfactory collection record on Meter Plan contracts. A number of stores who have found that they are tying up a considerable amount of working capital in selling hundreds of refrig-erators on the Meter Plan, have made arrangements to have us handle such contracts for them. Thus, we have had an opportunity to compare the operation of this plan in several sec-

tions of the country. "A recent survey among representafurniture, department, and specialty appliance stores indicated that from 65 to 90 per cent of their total refrigerator sales were being made on the Meter Plan basis. Most of these stores appreciate that the Meter Plan method is a selling adjunct and not a collection proposition. Therefore, it is interesting to note that they reject from 30 to 50 per cent of the credit applications re-ceived on Meter Plan prospects. About half of the stores reporting stated their collection experience on Meter Plan accounts was as good as on regular down payment sales. The remaining stores reported that their Meter Plan paper was paying better than regular plan contracts, indicating that, when properly sold, the meter can assist in making collections. In conclusion, it was the unanimous reply of all the stores reporting that they expected to continue selling on the Meter Plan indefinitely.

### New Appliances to Be Considered

"The selling of automatic heating equipment by department stores is too recent a development to permit ation as to their success in merchandising such products as oil burners, air-conditioning equipment, humidiflers, etc. Until the last year or two, oil burning equipment could not be considered, in any sense, as representing 'package' merchandise. However, with a competent outside installation crew, it is now possible for department stores to do a substantial volume of oil burner business. Such sales are practically always made to home owners and, as they represent an improvement to the owner's property, a time payment contract secured by a properly installed burner represents one of the best classes of instalment paper now being created in the appliance field. After determining the paying ability of the cutsomer, it is necessary that the property where the installation is to be made be carefully checked to see that mortgages are based on a fair resale value and that taxes are paid up to date.

"As a logical adjunct to the sale of oil burning and other automatic heating equipment, department store operators should keep in close touch with new developments in the air conditioning field. While a number of the larger manufacturers have already brought out unit air conditioners, there will undoubtedly be many changes in such equipment during the next year or two. At the present time, we feel that the sale of this type of equipment is not adaptable to department store methods, since the services of competent engineers are generally required to make a survey of the premises and to see that

installations are made in a satisfac-

"From the foregoing, it is evident that, with proper safeguards, a department store can profitably increase its volume of time payment sales. With a substantial gain in this class of business, a large part of a store's normal working capital may be 'frozen' in long term instalment contracts. The problem of releasing this 'frozen' working capital, when needed, becomes a vital factor of profitable operation.

"Fortunately or unfortunately, the attitude of commercial banks toward making unsecured loans to department stores has been decidedly changed during the past few years. During the period prior to 1932, many stores, with the assistance of local banks, embarked upon ambitious building programs which decreased their available working capital very materially. When these stores found themselves in such a position that the calling of short term bank loans made it impossible for them to meet their obligations promptly, they learned the fallacy of depending upon short term financing to take care of long term financing requirements. "It has been commonly assumed

that the cost of using the service of a finance company is much higher than bank rates. If a bank never requested a store to 'clean up,' it would be true that bank rates are lower than finance company rates. However, it is now the practice of most banks to ask all borrowers to stay off their books for at least a few months every year or oftener. Taking into account the substantial reciprocal cash balances required and the further fact that a store must build up gradually a cash balance at the bank to meet short term loans when due, it may be shown that finance company charges are often no more than the true cost of borrowing from banks. In addition, the user of finance company funds receives financing over the entire life of contracts. This is impossible when financing through short term bank loans, except by frequent renewals.

"It is expensive to increase a store's permanent working capital to handle a fluctuating volume of instalment sales. Therefore if financing instalment paper will permit a store to handle an increased volume of sales at a profit, it is entirely sound to use the services of a finance company. With the adoption of an adequate carrying charge, it is often possible to have the entire cost of such financing borne by the customer. Of course, the charges made by a finance company depend largely the annual volume of contracts fin-anced, the amount of collection assistance supplied, and the immediate cash advance desired. It is important in considering any finance plan that a store should not lose contact with its customers, who should continue to call at the store when making their payments. Thus an opportunity is gained for the sale of additional merchandise to regular paying customers on a continuing basis.
"In looking at the whole matter

from a broad and unbiased standpoint, it is readily apparent that many stores can profit by financing their long term instalment contracts. It can no longer be considered a sign of weakness to finance paper, if it can be definitely shown that a store will be in a position to handle additional profitable business by so doing. We are confident that executives of aggressive stores who investigate with an open mind the whole question of financing instalment paper will be entirely convinced of the profitableness of such a step."

# Cutaway Cabinet Section Added to Promotion Kit

MANSFIELD, O .- As an addition to its "dramatic demonstration kit," the refrigeration department of Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co. has made a cut-away section of a Westinghouse household refrigerator cabinet available to their refrigeration

This cut-away section is a horizontal piece that includes a corner, one side, and the micarta stripping for the door jamb, actually cut from a standard Westinghouse refrigera-

It shows a section of the food compartment surface, a complete section of insulation, and the exterior finish. In this way a salesman can pick up the cutaway section and let the prospect examine it thoroughly, giving him a better conception as to the actual construction of a refrigerator than any other arrangement.

# Bauer Leaves for Crosley Meetings in Louisiana

CINCINNATI—Neil Bauer, field sales manager, Crosley Radio Corp., has left to attend dealer sales meetings in Louisiana.

Mr. Bauer will attend a meeting Nov. 6 which will be held by the Interstate Electric Co. On Nov. 9 he will be in Shreveport, La., for the meeting of the Lee Hardware Co.

# Adequate Finance Charge Is Called Key to Profits

#### Must Adopt Adequate Carrying Charge

"The first step in making instalment sales profitable is the adoption of an adequate finance or carrying charge. The time is past when a department store should attempt to compete with the local retailer of appliances by offering a lower charge on instalment accounts. Simple interest at the rate of six per cent per annum has definitely been proved to be an insufficient charge to meet all expenses incident to handling instalment sales. While it is quite possible that the charge should vary, depending upon local conditions, we have always felt that a fair charge is about one-half of one per cent per month; that is six per cent for

twelve months on the balance to be

#### Most Appliance Mark-Ups Too Low

"The heads of many of the large department stores who have been in-creasing their appliance sales volume by taking on refrigerators, oil burners, and similar products during the last few years, have found that the average mark-up they have been able to obtain on such merchandise is not sufficient to enable them to handle appliances at a profit. With department stores doing an increasing percentage of the total volume of appliance business, it may be necessary to change the present method of distribution and permit the manufacturer to sell directly to the larger stores.

A RECORD OF OUTSTANDING



# the fastest growing name in the industry...

THE reputation made by a product in service soon overshadows any claims made by the manufacturer of that product. Brunner makes many assertions about the ruggedness, the dependability ... yes, and also the superiority of Brunner Compressors. And we have been making such assertions for some time back. The unusual fact is that the product, in this instance, backs up what the producer says. Actually, expressions of satisfaction from buyers of BRUNNER equipment exceed our own advertising in their enthusiasm. In sum, BRUNNER has become the fastest growing name in the industry because we build a better compressor. Six models. Seventeen highsides. Air or water cooled. Gas engine or electric. 1/6 H. P. to 3 H. P. Complete details in our catalog. We'd appreciate mailing a copy to you. Brunner Manufacturing Company, Utica, N.Y., U.S.A.



A NAME BUILT BY 28 YEARS OF SERVICE

300% ahead of last year

Sales of complete General Electric Kitchens for first 9 months of 1934 are 300% ahead of sales for first 9 months of 1933

THE modern all-electric kitchen is no longer a dream in the minds of America's homemakers. It is fast becoming a reality. Witness G-E Kitchen sales this year as compared with last year. 300% ahead! Three sales now where only one grew before. And the trend is definitely UP.

General Electric retailers featuring the General Electric Kitchen are in an enviable position. They profit on complete kitchen sales. They profit on sales made under the G-E Step-By-Step Plan of acquiring the complete General Electric Kitchen. On this plan it is possible to make 3 profits per customer—a refrigerator profit, a range profit and a dishwasher profit.

The National Housing Act now enables home owners to modernize their kitchens on extremely liberal terms. Retailers of General Electric Kitchen appliances are going after this business and are getting it.

Using the G-E Kitchen as the background of their sales effort, G-E dealers are rapidly building a permanent, profitable business that is ever on the increase. Write for details of the exclusive G-E Kitchen plan or selling, and for facts about the General Electric franchise. General Electric Company, Specialty Appliance Sales Dept., Section DF111, Nela Park, Cleveland, Ohio.

• Shoppers can see all three types of electric refrigerators at the G-E dealer's—the General Electric Monitor Top, Flat-top and Lift-top models. Prices now as low as \$77.50 {plus freight and \$5 for five-year protection plan}.



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# COMPANION MERCHANDISE

# **G-E Completes Plans for Sale** Of Companion Appliances

BRIDGEPORT, CONN. - Following the general promotion program for G-E appliances (other than refrigerators, ranges, and dishwashers) inaugurated a year ago, the merchandise department of General Electric Co. has completed work on a series of campaigns for the 1934-35 fall and winter season, according to J. W. Mc-Iver, manager of sales promotion, appliance division.

There are two campaigns planned for promoting electric cleaner sales. One, "A New Road to Profits," is based on a study of retail selling through large outlets interested primarily in building store traffic and offering store service.

Three new cleaners have been designed and will be featured in the campaign. One is intended for use as a leader

According to the plan, department stores using it will set up a special section where housewives can obtain information and ideas on home arrangement and equipment. G-E cleaners will be featured in one part of this section.

Other campaign is the "Get 'Em In" activity, designed to aid dealers in outside selling. Special attention will be given the replacement market. The problem of how to get salesmen by the door is being met by use of "Rug Talks," to be given away by cleaner salesmen at the homes they visit.

To aid the dealer in promoting the activity, a variety of sales promotion materials are provided, including newspaper advertisements, window and store displays, folders; and, for sales training, films, sales manuals, and pocket cards. The latter provides outside appliance salesmen with handy information on all cleaners in the G-E line.

Utilities are being enlisted in campaign to promote sales of G-E electric clocks. The program calls for the services of every employee, and at the end of the campaign, prizes will be awarded for outstanding performance in sales of clocks, which will be presented in vari-priced assortments.

One of the promotion devices recommended to dealers is the new "Merchandiser," a metal piece holding six clock models. In 21/2 ft. of counter space the unit establishes a complete clock department. On it a card tells the G-E clock story, and full-line folders provide 'trade-ups" to clocks not shown on this display.

G-E's new home laundry equipment program is really a "dealers' campaign for dealers," as retailers'

ready for 1935.

purposes.

DIGHT now is the time for planning activities

for 1935. . . . This is the time for distributors

to review their work of the past year and to make

The right type of contract between "right" people

means satisfactory business relations throughout,

based on merchandise of proven quality, reason-

able prices and protected territory. This is the type

of contract written between Copeland and its dis-

Copeland distributors have complete lines to sell.

. . . Domestic and Commercial . . . each model

is developed by an expert engineering and research

staff and is, at all times, completely dependable.

Seven household models in Porcelain and Porce-

loid. Splendid line of Commercial Models for all

Write today for full details be-

fore completing your 1935 plans.

COPELAND REFRIGERATION CORP., Mount Clemens, Mich.

Division of Winslow-Baker-Meyering Corp.

suggestions played an important part in its formulation. Called "Ring the Bell," it is not primarily a selling contest, though prizes will be contest, though prizes will be awarded to stimulate dealer interest.

Real objective is to increase laundry sales by bringing to dealers' attention sales methods suitable not only as a temporary stimulant to their business but will increase the year-'round efficiency of their selling

General Electric's fall and winter sunlamp promotion efforts are directed for the most part toward development of the market through the medium of retail outlets.

The "4 Way" campaign, around which spring sunlamp activities were built, will be continued, although it is now essentially a department store operation.

Program calls for installation of a "sunshine room" for store patrons, use of two activities for developing leads, a "Sunshine Essay Contest," newspaper and radio advertising, direct mail activities, window displays and score cards.

A "central station plan" has been developed for central stations, whether they are engaged in merchandising or not. For active merchandisers, complete data on sunlamp selling are given. For non-merchandisers, the plan provides an outline of sunlamp activities by means of which central station utilities can tie in with local

During the 1934-35 winter season, promotion activities on General Electric fans will be devoted largely to window ventilating models. Campaign material used in the past is being revised for the new season's opera-

The radio program will be aimed at a four-fold market, prospects for all-wave sets, auto sets, battery sets and conventional sets.

Advertisements will appear in national magazines, supplemented by trade advertisements featuring reproductions of those appearing in the national field.

Promotion campaign for dealers re-volves around the "Bandwagon" activity, a sales contest lasting five months. At its conclusion the dealer in each district who oversells his quota to the greatest extent will win a trip to G-E's "House of Magic" in Schenectady. Merchandise prizes will be awarded to other outstanding dealers.

A house organ, "The Bandwagon," will supply dealers each month with information regarding the campaign, data on new merchandise, sales hints, service notes, etc.

# Philadelphia Firms **Open Water Heater** & Range Campaign

PHILADELPHIA-A huge advertising and sales promotional plan has ushered in the fall electric range and water heater campaign which, under the sponsorship of the Electrical Association of Philadelphia, opened Sept. 24 and will continue until Dec.

The Philadelphia Electric Co. is cooperating by fostering a plan whereby customers in approved standing may purchase any of 10 makes of ranges for a down payment of \$2 with long-term payments, and free installation.

More than 400 local appliance dealers are competing in sales contests on ranges and water heaters during the period of the campaign.

Advertising and publicity consists of display advertisements in five metropolitan and 11 suburban newspapers, a complete billboard showing, premiums, and cooking demonstrations.

Realizing the necessity of a proper educational effort in conjunction with sales campaign on appliances of this type, the Electrical Association has accorded dealers and distributors throughout the whole territory the services of Miss Alice K. Altman, widely known home economist, for cooking demonstrations.

In combatting sales resistance, the association has made available to dealers, free of charge, a seven piece kitchen set of aluminum ware, which given to each purchaser of an electric range.

In order to place the sales effort on as an efficient and effective basis as possible, a complete manual for salesmen, covering all of the questions arising in selling a customer, has been issued by the association.

Also, the association has issued a plan book, covering all the phases of the campaign, which is distributed to dealers. Many other forms of advertising matter, including window display helps, are available for the

# G-E Kitchen Employed In Cooking School

CLEVELAND—A complete General Electric kitchen furnished the stage setting for the cooking school which The Cleveland News recently spon-sored at Cleveland's public music hall in conjunction with several food and home equipment manufacturers and distributors, among them Electrical Housekeeping, Inc., distributor of G-E appliances in the Cleveland area.

Mrs. Frances Troy Northcross, nationally known food authority and lecturer, assisted by Miss Mary Ann Kidd, conducted the four-day course. A daily attendance of approximately 4,000 women was recorded.

Prestige was given to the affair through the cooperation of prominent members of greater Cleveland's many women's clubs who acted as hostesses.

The Cleveland News school was one in a series of 102 newspaper cooking schools which the Home Economics Service Corp. is conducting in cities in the east, south, and midwest.

# 14 Dealers in Nashville Are Now Selling Electric Ranges

NASHVILLE-Fourteen local department and furniture stores and electrical dealers here are now carrying one or more makes of electric ranges.

Tennessee Electric Power Co. has tied in with the stores' activity with newspaper advertising stressing the economy of cooking electrically under reduced rates. Below the advertise-ments are listed the names of all the stores displaying ranges and the brands they carry.

John P. Hughes, manager of Cain Sloan Co.'s electrical department, reports sales of 100 Lindemann & Hoverson electric ranges.

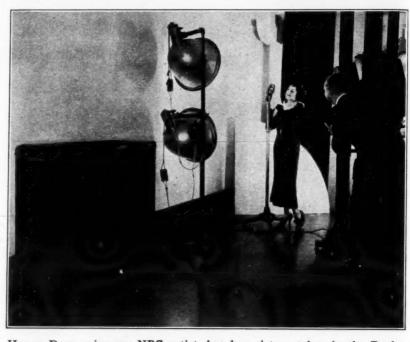
# **Toledo Police Department** Is First Purchaser of G-E Workshop

CLEVELAND-The first sale of a General Electric workshop was made Oct. 20 by Fred Gorham, salesman for the H. G. Bogart Co., Toledo G-E distributor.

The purchaser, S. Black, is radio inspector for the Toledo Police department in charge of squad car radios and the city's fire alarm system. Black is using the machine in his workshop in the police garage.

Two days later the Bogart company sold a second workshop to a gas company employee who noticed the machine in the distributor's window, stopped in, and bought it.

# Comfort for Much-Photographed Stars



Honey Dean, winsome NBC artist, has her picture taken in the Rockefeller Plaza studio, a Westinghouse conditioner keeping the air cool and comfortable despite intense heat from the battery of lights.

# C. I. T. Will Finance Sales of Radios for Crosley Dealers

CINCINNATI - A plan to finance radio sales for dealers has been announced by Powel Crosley, Jr., president of Crosley Radio Corp., here. Arrangements have been made with Commercial Investment Trust Corp. whereby sales of all Crosley radio models can be financed where required.

This is the first time since 1929 that independent finance companies have been willing to accept radio paper. Crosley has had this plan in effect with C.I.T. on Crosley refrigerators for the past three years. Comments Mr. Crosley:

The restoration of financing for radio sales is a manifestation of the fact that finance companies recog-nize that the radio industry today is as basically sound as other industries, and that the product itself is so well standardized that the hazards of the pioneering period of both the industry

# **New Radio Receiver Has Bottle and Games** Compartment

and the product have passed.'

CHICAGO-Something novel in the radio field is being introduced by the Reliable Sales Co. here in its new "Pla-Pal" receiver, a table-model set with swing-out compartments containing cards, chips, dice, six small glasses, and three bottles for Amer-

ica's recently legalized refreshment.
Listing for \$34.95, the radio is a four-tube, all-electric set covering a full broadcast range. It has a fiveinch dynamic speaker and is housed in a burled-walnut cabinet with chrome grille and fittings. Standard model is 110 volts, for a.c. or d.c. current, but models for 220 volts are available, as are those for 32-volt or six-volt farm operation. The set is R.C.A. licensed.

Width of the Pla-Pal is 141/2 in., its depth is 6 in., and its height, 9% in. Top of the set lifts up to disclose the deck of cards, 100 poker chips, and set of dice.

An outward push swings out the left end of the cabinet, which is compartment having two racks in which sit six glasses, while the right end is a similar compartment containing three matched beverage bottles.

A one-year guarantee protects the user on defective workmanship, and a four-month guarantee covers the tubes, according to A. Dahl, president of Reliable Sales Co., which is located at 758 Jackson Blvd.

# Standard Range Featured By Legless Construction

TOLEDO — Feature of the new "Jewel Box" electric range brought out by the Standard Electric Stove Co. is its legless, all-enclosed construction.

Toe space is provided at the bottom of the range by a recessed kick plate. Exterior finish is in two-tone ivory porcelain enamel.

Oven has broiler compartment, broiler pan, and bracket-type baking rack. There is also an indicating temperature control.

The "Jewel Box" has three surface burners which may be had in a variety of combinations. All may be eight-inch open or enclosed type, or two eight-inch and one six-inch. A unit cooker may also be substituted for the rear right burner.

# **G-E Introduces Five** Vacuum Cleaners

BRIDGEPORT, Conn.-Features of the five new cleaners introduced by the merchandise department of General Electric Co., are streamlined styling, which facilitates cleaning of inaccessible corners, and a "Spot-Lite" which assists in cleaning darker locations.

Three of the new models—the "Super," the "Air-Flo," and the "Lite-Way" are motor-driven, brush-type cleaners. The fourth the "Special," is a straight-suction cleaner, and the fifth model, the "Tidy," is a "ceilingto-floor" hand-type cleaner equipped with a deodorizer attachment.

In addition to the "Spot-Lite" feature, nozzle and handle adjustment and a new handle grip, found on the three motor-driven brush-type cleaners, the "Super" has a two-speed switch, which adapts the cleaner for use on both light and heavy rugs, and two convenient levers—one for raising or lowering the nozzle and the other for releasing the handle to lower it flush with the floor for cleaning under furniture. List price is \$76.50.

Distinctive feature of the "Air-Flo" are two foot-controlled levers for nozzle and handle adjustments, to facilitate changing from one type of work to another. It lists at \$59.50.

The narrow contour of the "Lite-Way" and its compactly designed, full-sized nozzle make it easy to reach into small places. By means of an adjustment screw, the nozzle may be set at the proper height for cleaning. This model weighs 13½ lbs. List price is \$39.95.

The "Special" is light in weight and

easy to handle. It lists at \$19.95. The "Tidy" is applicable to cleaning of upholstery, mattresses, stair carpets, automobile interiors, and clothing. It has a two-piece extension tube which enables the operator to reach all dirt from ceiling to floor. With blower tool attached, the "Tidy" can be used for blowing dust from behind radiators, for cleaning wicker furniture, and for fluffing pillows and

A glass dichloricide container and cans of dichloricide crystals for repelling moths and removing un-pleasant odors are included with its accessories. The list price, including all accessories, is \$17.95.

# Owner of Old Range To Win New Model

TOLEDO-In exchange for the oldest Standard electric range in service in a user's home, Standard Electric Stove Co. will give the owner a Standard "Ohioan" model complete with all accessories. The company plans to use the old range for exhibition purposes.

Serial numbers of old ranges are to be secured by dealers and power companies among their customers. These numbers are to be sent to the company, where they will be checked with the serial number records at the factory. The offer is open until Dec. 31, 1934.

# Worsham Will Address Refrigeration Men

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—J. A. Worsham, author of "Low Pressure Selling," will make a tour of wholesale and retail refrigeration outlets this winter, lecturing on "Low Pressure Selling as Applied to Electric Refrig-eration." After completing the tour, he will lecture in England. Mr. he will lecture in England. Worsham is a resident of Springfield.

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DETROIT — Kelvinator Corp. has opened a new "hot room" for checking the performance of its products at its Plymouth Road plant here.

The new testing chamber is designed principally for studying the reaction of refrigerators, water coolers and air-conditioning apparatus operating under excessive temperatures and other adverse conditions. The room is 35 ft. long and 17 ft. wide, and has dc. current, water and gauge positions that can accommodate a large number of units simultaneously. Heated by air forced into it through ducts leading from a fin coil, the laboratory can maintain desired temperatures without a variation of more than 1° F. plus or minus. Normally the interior is held at 110° F.

The entire laboratory, including the concrete slab floor, is mounted on steel springs to minimize vibration. In the construction of the walls and ceiling every possible effort has been made to curtail the passage of heat and noise.

Outside a one-inch jacket of acoustical tile is a celotex-lined air space approximately six inches in width, and surrounding this is a cinder block wall eight inches thick. Operating noises in the units under test are easily detectable, owing to the acoustical properties of the interior surfaces of the chamber.

The room is equipped with pressure-recording gauges, meters, time meters, recording thermostats, ammeters, watt meters, volt meters and all other devices needed for detailed checking of the performance of the units under observation.

In addition to this expansion of its "hot room" facilities, Kelvinator has completed a special humidity testing laboratory for studying "sweating" effects in cabinets.

# Retail Code Authority Submits 1935 Budget For Administration

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Code Authority for the Retail Trade has made application to the National Industrial Recovery Board for the approval of its budget for, and of the basis of contribution by members of the trade to, the expense of administering the code for the period from Nov. 1 of this year to Oct. 31, 1935. Total amount of the budget for this period is \$949.860.

The assessment for the second code year, the application asserts, should be \$1 per employee—provided that 15 cents of each dollar should accrue to the National Retail Code Authority, Inc., for expenses of the national administration.

Copies of the budget are available upon request at the office of the National Recovery Administration, Room 3316, Department of Commerce building here or at the office of the National Retail Code Authority, 1006 Munsey building, here.

According to Richard Neustadt, managing director, it is impossible at the present time to give an exact budget for each of the local retail code authorities. The figure set, therefore, is submitted as the total budget for administering the general retail code by the National Code Authority and its local retail code authorities.

# Ice Box Code Authority Proposes Amendment On Price Fixing

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Objections or suggestions concerning a proposed code amendment to strengthen prohibition of price discrimination between buyers of the same class in the household ice refrigerator industry must be filed here with NRA Deputy Administrator W. L. Schurz, before November 19, the NRA announced last week.

Sponsored by the industry's Code Authority, the proposal would add the following to Section 19 of the trade practice section:

"And in no case shall this provision be evaded or nullified by such devices as the appointment of a member or connection of a buying concern as salesman for a manufacturer so as to bring to the buyer the salesman's commission as well as the buyer's discount, thus giving such buyer an unfair advantage over other buyers of the same class."

# Norge Dealer Sells 5 Boxes in First Day

CHENEY, Kan.—G. R. Shepherd of the Kansas Gas & Electric Co. here, sold five Norge refrigerators the day his company received its initial shipment. The town's population is 669.

# Look Inside!

NEVER BEFORE HAS
ONE MOTOR HAD SO
MANY FEATURES THAT
WILL HELP YOU SELL
DOMESTIC REFRIGERATORS



Type KC capacitor-motor with standard base



Type KC capacitor-motor with automatic belttightener base



ADVANCED BEARING DESIGN—long bearing life is assured by an unusually large oil supply and a scientifically designed recirculation system. Pure-wool-yarn packing filters the oil and feeds it to the bearings. Oil throwers and returns recirculate the oil. Thus, a constant supply of fresh, clean oil is assured at all times.



SIMPLIFIED CONNECTIONS SPEED AS-SEMBLY—leads for line, cold-control, boxlight, and light switch are all easily connected to posts provided in the built-in terminal box, without splicing or soldering. This speeds assembly and hence reduces costs.



AUTOMATIC BELT-TIGHTENER BASE—depends on torque instead of springs for its action. Hence, it maintains the correct belt tension to prevent slippage of the belt. With this base, belt tension is automatically and evenly regulated to meet changes in load. The result: greatly reduced friction, which means: (1) longer life of belt, bearings, and seals; (2) quiet operation; and (3) lower operating costs.



RELIABLE STARTING SWITCH—long-lived—positive-acting—rust-proof—quiet. Built to last the life of the motor. The reliability and long, "care-free" service life of this important unit have been proved by eight years of satisfactory service in the field.



RESILIENT MOUNTING—"CUSHIONED POWER"—the 1935 Type KC capacitor-motor is mounted in large rings of springy, live rubber that are treated with a special G-E compound which makes them impervious to oil. These rubber rings fit snugly into machined recesses around each bearing housing. This construction isolates single-phase torque vibration and hence helps make this motor quiet.



EXCLUSIVE WINDING TREATMENT—will not soften under heat. Bonds the windings together and protects them from moisture, high temperature, and mechanical injury which might shorten motor life. This standard treatment makes the windings suitable for use even in the tropics.



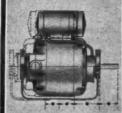
SPRING-STEEL END-PLAY SILENCERS—effectively cushion end bump at both ends, yet permit free movement of the rotor, thus assuring quiet operation without wear or power loss from added friction. Of durable spring-steel construction, these silencers will last the life of the motor.



CYLINDRICAL CAPACITOR—small in size, sheathed in steel—fully protected against injury—and fastened rigidly to the motor. Capacitor connections are entirely separate from line terminals, hence there is no opportunity for incorrect connection. (Cover removed in illustration to show accessibility.)



CAST-ALUMINUM ROTOR—indestructible. Has permanent electrical characteristics and cannot become open-circuited. The entire squirrel cage is a one-piece solid-aluminum pressure casting, made by an exclusive G-E process.



INTERCHANGEABILITY—mounting dimensions for 60 cycle and other commercial frequencies and for direct-current motors are identical. All ½-hp. to ¼-hp. resilient-mounted motors, with or without belt-tightener base, will fit the same base drilling. The same motor body will fit either the plain or the belt-tightener resilient base.

\*Motor length may vary with the rating, but the mounting dimensions remain unchanged.

You should have complete information about the Type KC "carefree" capacitor-motor — the outstanding refrigerator motor of 1935. The nearest G-E office will be glad to work with you. And, to insure unit

responsibility for the electric equipment of your refrigerator, we suggest that you consider G-E cold-control units, and cable, along with the motor. General Electric, Dept. 6A-201, Schenectady, N. Y.

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# **PERSONALITIES**

=By George F. Taubeneck=

# Roamin' Vandals

'What? Stand around in line for hours just to be pushed and shoved around and have my toes stepped on by a mob of grimy tourists? Heh, heh. Not me. Little old yours truly is going to stay home tonight, put on his slippers, and be comfortable. Let somebody else get trampled."

That's what Chicagoans were saying to one another last Wednesday, on the final day of A Century of Progress exposition. Everybody knew that the grounds would be packed; nobody seemed to want to be in on

But somehow people began getting the itch, and quietly joined what seemed to be the rest of the world in the line-up at the gates. The first 10,000 were inside the gates in record

Bombs went off as each successive set of 10,000 tickets were sold, and they went so fast that the heavy booms of their explosions became fairly regular and monotonous.

Finally a multi-gun salute told the glad tidings that attendance at the Fair had reached 16,500,000 for the year—which meant that it was a financial success. Of the \$10,000,000 of 6 per cent guaranteed gold notes issued at the beginning, only \$583,000 remained unpaid. When that 16,500,-000th admission was purchased, the Fair management was able to pay those notes off and have \$1,000,000 left over for dismantling the buildings and buttoning up the job completely.

The 1933 paid attendance was 22,565,839. Grand total for the twoyear exposition was 39,052,236.

Quickly the news spread around

No American Legion convention— not even those of Detroit and Boston -could have compared with this unprecedented-in-modern-times example of unfettered pillage and destruction. It was all—or nearly all—good natured vandalism; but it was vandalism, just the same.

Worst sufferer was the Horticultural exhibit, which was literally tern limb from limb. Fat and placid women walked off with rare plants worth hundreds of dollars. It seemed that every female one encountered had an uprooted specimen of flora under an arm.

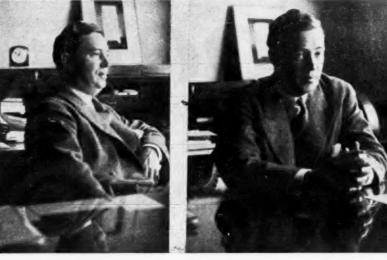
Signs were torn down with glee and abandon, as the crowds cheered particularly daring youths. The big idea for boys seemed to be that of getting a four-foot wooden letter to carry home.

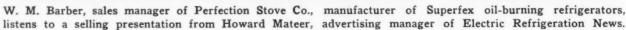
Sally Rand pictures—big posters, oil paintings, and the like—were coveted prizes. So were such signs as "Public Telephone," "Ladies Toilet," and "Information." Young men by the score did the human fly stunt, shinnying up flimsy walls to capture a smudgy flag or faded

A modern Paul Revere should have ridden down to the Colonial Village in advance of the mobs, and to the strains of the currently popular "Here Come the British," for that thoroughly delightful reproduction of early American architecture was battered in and collapsed as thoroughly as if it had been attacked by a ly as if it had been attacked by a trained army.

Similar scenes of ruin and pillage were enacted in almost all the other villages. Curiously enough, the Irish Village was relatively quiet and

# He Hears How Good the 'News' Is





"This is it, boys. No panties, no brassieres."

And the dimes rolled in as the good-natured suckers went through the gates, saw their nudes, and exited to the next show. Somewhat surprisingly, the exhibitionist girls were not molested; although some of them, frightened, ran home to mama—or whomever it may be that they run home to these days.

It was another story, however, in the restaurants within the Streets of Paris. Men got drunk, resented the push of crowds, threw fists and bottles. They bashed chairs and table tops over one another's heads. There wasn't a plate glass window left in the concession.

# Battle of Paris

Shortly after midnight, when the Battle of Paris was raging the most fiercely (interfering cops had been hoisted over the walls by laughing and cheering crowds), the fire department arrived with a pretty big hose. That did the trick. It was about 40 above zero, and the powerful torrent of icy water sobered up the roistering melee.

From 1 o'clock on the excitement came in small doses. The big mob scenes were over, and only "bit players" were around to keep the crowds amused. About this time some bright boys got the notion of collecting water faucets, realization of which notion turned drinking fountains into spouting geysers.

On Swift bridge the boys who ran the puppet show advertising a brand of scouring powder got tired of their "sissy" act, and really put the puppets through some unorthodox paces. A goodly crowd collected here to watch the puppets and listen to the loud speaker spout forth really funny smoking car stories, lewd limericks, and unexpurgated barroom ballads.

Near the 23rd St. entrance a handsome young man had commandeered one of the weight-guessing platforms, and was doing a for-women-only business. If he guessed the woman's weight—and he always did, according to his two assistants-he kissed her. He had a rushing trade. Many women who had probably celebrated their thirtieth birthday several times came back to be weighed again and again. (Hope our pictures of this stunt turn

Fair employees-some half million people were working at one task or another during the course of the exposition-openly cried on one another's shoulders as they viewed the end of the enterprise to which they had devoted their working hours for two summers. For them it was a re-enactment of The Last Days of Pompeii.

The Greatest Show on Earth was over, and it had had a Garrison

Footnote: Next day Westinghouse Electric Supply Co., three large department stores, and 53 dealers advertised "Westinghouse refrigerators at savings up to \$118—World's Fair display models."

# Interest from Italy

MUSSOLINI's campaign for more and better babies in Italy must be causing heads of big families to look around for proper means of refrigerating the vast quantities of food their offsprings are consuming.

We don't know this to be a fact, y'unnerstand, but we do have our reasons. Until recently we had few readers in Italy but all of a sudden-like, subscriptions to Electric Refrig-ERATION NEWS have begun to roll in. Recently the following Italian firms have entered orders:

G. B. Boni, La Refrigerazione Automatica

Moderna, (Servel distributor) Via Benedetto Marcello 18, Milano, Italy. Cav. Dott. Antonio Bacelli Via Rasella 155, Roma, Italy.

Ing, Bazzi & C. Corso Magenta 32 Milano, Italy. Schraemli & Forster (Frigidaire distributor) 16, Via. A. Manzoni, Milano, Italy.

Fratelli Tortorelli Siena, Italy. Alberto Fantini & Co., Via Giovanni Da Milano Milano, Italy.

Ing. Gioacchino Cavicchioli Via Vanchiglia 36 Torino, Italy.

Applicazioni Industriali Del Freddo, Viale Monte Grappa 15, Treviso, Italy. S.A.T.I.T.

(Societa Anonima Sviluppo Applica-zioni Tecniche Industriali—Universal Cooler distributor) Via Arsenale 12, Torino, Italy.

Incidentally, the subscription department received orders during the past week from these foreign firms: Therma Electric Heating Mfg. Co., Schwanden, Switzerland.

Hong Kong Brewers & Distillers Ltd., Rutton Buildings, 7 Duddell St., Hong Kong, China.

N. V. Technisch, Bureau Maryen. Waldarp straat 52, The Hague, Hol-

E. T. Chepou, Frigidaire, Ltd., 46 Rue De La Boetie, Paris, France.

S.I.A.M. de Tella, Ltd., Avda. de Mayo, 1302, Buenos Aires, Argentina. Thomas Ths. Sabroe & Co., Postbox 186, Aarhus, Denmark. E. Rifa Anglada, Paseo de Gracia, Barcelona, Spain. A. E. L. Duchateau,

Brent Crescent, North Circular Road, London, N. W. 10, England.

Messrs. H. J. Stranack & Co., Ltd., P. O. Box 914, Durban, Natal, South Africa. Hubard & Bourlon, Apartado Postal 1194, Mexico City, Mexico. A. J. Waugh, Ho Hong Bank Bldg., 86 Beach St., Penang, Straits Settlements. Cia Centrale de Construction, Haine St. Pierre, Belgium. Societe Electra, 57 Rue Blaise Pascal, Casablanca, Morocco. Technical Bookstore, Ingenieurhaus Sia, Prague, Czechoslovakia. International Radio Co., 254 Castlereagh St., Sydney, N. S. W., Australia.

Firth Pty. Ltd., Box 1776, G.P.O. Melbourne, Australia. Herman Mayer, Laxenburgerstrasse 36. Vienna, Austria. Alfred Teves, Frankfurt, Germany.

From Bureau Chairman To Golf 'Pro'

Although for some mysterious reason he insists on remaining unidentified, the Head Man of one of the more important refrigeration manufacturers informs us that JAMES E. DAVIDSON, president of the Nebraska Power Co., and onetime president of the old N.E.L.A., hasn't retired to a monastic cell since resigning as president of the Electric Refrigera-

He has, among other things, been polishing up his golf game.

The nameless Head Man sends us a clipping from the front page of the Omaha World-Herald's Morning Sport Section to prove it. Here's the story, as reported by the Omaha sports

DAVIDSON WINS FROM PRO.

MAY LEAVE AMATEUR FOLD Extra! J. E. Davidson will turn

Well, to be a bit more specific, he isn't quite sure yet but he has a good notion to quit the ranks of the simon pures for all time.

The reason is the 35-38-73 he shot at the Country club Wednesday, a score so much better than his previous record that we won't even mention the difference. What's more, Marty Walsh, the club pro, was playing in the foursome and he had to take second place with a 75.

The other two witnesses-Mr. Davidson made them sign the card and swear to it before a notary publicwere George Durkee, who had 83, and E. A. Baird, who had 88.

Mr. Davidson is giving lessons by appointment only.

# They Like Mountain Music



They brought their mountain music with them. L. R. Brooks (left) and C. T. Isley, two of the Southern Public Utilities Co. star salesmen, recently visited Kelvinator Corp.'s Detroit plant. S.P.U.C. sold 4,160 Kelvinators during its recent eight-weeks drive. Brooks is a native of Mooresboro, N. C.; Isley comes from Spartanburg, S. C.

Chicago. The citizens felt like celebrating. Their great venture had not Pomposity Unrequited had paid for itself! So they forgot their slippers and their apprehension crowded discomfort, and helped swell the surge of humanity knocking at, and already within, the great Fair grounds.

Thousands upon thousands of motor cars inched along the boulevards, and sardined into parking lots. Goodhumored multitudes stood first on one foot and then the other as they waited their chance to pass through the turnstiles, which were clicking like a battery of typewriters.

# **Human Battering Rams**

At 8 o'clock that night a tumultuous and uncontrollable herd of humanity battered through the 18th St. gates. Down at the 23rd St. entrance the pressure was so great that hundreds were admitted free. Others climbed over the fence.

The marines were called out. So was an army detachment. City, park, and Fair police worked like mad, but were no match for 375,000 persons who finally got in, through, around, and over the gates.

Once inside, the mob spirit engulfed the staidest of housewives and the meekest counterparts of Caspar Milquetoast. It was Hallowe'en, you know (whoever decided to close the Fair on Hallowe'en is probably plenty sorry today), and people suddenly remembered-under the spell of the mob-that when they were kids they had torn down picket fences and soaped windows on that night.

were started, but didn't get very farchiefly because the gangs cowed by the appearance of the Royal Guards—beef-trust men attired in feathered hats and buckled kneelength stockings, and carrying huge axes. Throughout the Fair people had tittered at these incongruous specimens; but they didn't laugh on that last night when the big boys brandished those axes.

Over in the Court of States the governor of Illinois, HENRY HORN-ER, the president of the Fair, RUFUS DAWES, and the mayor of Chicago, EDWARD KELLY, surrounded by wing-collared dignitaries, uniformed army and navy officers, and a negro choir, were uttering pompous-sounding words as they officially closed the Fair-supposedly forever.

At midnight Mrs. Dawes pressed a switch which turned off all the lights of the Fair for a moment—much to the surprise of oblivious revelers in other parts of the grounds. Back came the lights, again revealing that indescribably gorgeous nocturnal coloring which was the finest thing about the Fair, up went some tricky fireworks, and on went the pagan dance of the multitudes.

Down in the Streets of Paris, as one might have guessed in advance, the most excitement of all occurred All the peep shows were running full blast at last; there was no irate Fair management or professionally shocked policewomen to worry about, for on the morrow everything was to be closed anyway. Barkers shouted:

# 'What? You"Don't Tell Me, Chris!'





Chris Steenstrup (left), designer of the famous G-E Monitor Top, apparently shocks Walter Daily (right), advertising manager of the General Electric specialty appliance department, with a story about something or other. These candid camera photographs were taken by the editor of Electric Refrigeration News.

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# Frigidaire Announces New Members of B.T.U. Club

DAYTON—Another group of Frigidaire selling men and dealers have qualified during the last 30 days for the 1934 B.T.U. Quota club, Frank R. Pierce, sales manager for Frigidaire Corp., announced last week.

Membership in the club is based on attaining personal or dealership selling quotas assigned for the 12-month

The new members are: Akron district—J. L. Kirk, Cuahoga Falls, Ohio; R. K. Heller, Akron; A. M. Morris, Akron.

Albany district—W. E. Lounsbury, Oak Hill, N. Y.; Chas. Adriance, Al-bany, N. Y.; Bradner's, Cobleskill, N. Y.; R. R. Snow, Greenwich, N. Y.; W. M. Whitney & Co., Albany, N. Y. Baltimore-Washington district—E. J. Brosseau, Washington, D. C.; C. F. Rector, Washington, D. C.; R. P. Fox,

Washington, D. C. Chattanooga district—G. V. Kuykendall and G. D. Lynch, Chattanooga; C. C. Lotspeich, Jr., Nashville, Tenn.; J. R. Cherry, Harriman, Tenn.; H. V.

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J. R. Cherry, Harriman, Tenn.; H. V. Hodges, Livingston, Tenn.; J. W. Mc-Millan, Carthage, Tenn.; C. A. Harmon, Rockwood, Tenn.
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E. W. Willock, Campbellsville, Ky. El Paso district—G. H. Johnson, Kingman, Ariz.

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Fort Worth district—H. A. Dubey, Dallas, Tex.; O. W. Aston, Sherman, Tex.; H. R. Castles, Quanah, Tex.; F. F. Seifret, Abilene, Tex.; T. W. McKoy, Childress, Tex.; Sidney Claiborne, Lubbock, Tex.; West Texas Utilities Co. Dist. "E," Quanah, Tex.; West Texas Utilities Co. Dist. "J," Childress Tex.; W. Crow, Et Worth. West Texas Utilities Co. Dist. S., Childress, Tex.; W. Crow, Ft. Worth, Tex.; R. N. Lunn, Olney, Tex.; E. W. Caperton, Border, Tex.; S. C. Hagy, Shreveport, La.; J. V. Rogers, Wichita Falls, Tex.; B. H. Vickery, Wichita Falls, Tex.; S. B. Anderson, Lubbock, Texas C. A. Spragin, La. & Co. Wichita

Tex.; C. A. Spragin, Jr., & Co., Wichitz Falls, Tex.; G. O. Griffitts, Electra, Tex.; Bert Curry, Pampa, Tex.
Houston district—C. F. Adickes, Huntsville, Tex.; H. C. Hafer, Brenham, Tex.; W. H. Johnston, Lufkin, Tex.; R. C. Reed, Beaumont, Tex.; Pakischung Kiceling, Inc., Houston Robischung-Kiesling, Inc., Houston, Tex.; V. C. Sherafino, Beaumont, Tex.; W. W. Short, Houston, Tex.; F. S. Taylor, Bay City, Tex.; H. F. Twom-

New Jersey district—Frank Bozzelli, Patterson, N. J.; F. B. Mullen, Elizabeth, N. J.; Geo. Brooks & Co., Inc., Somerville, N. J.

New Orleans district- Eddie Bernstain, New Orleans; Sidney Levy, Jr., New Orleans; C. J. Gleber, Jr., New Orleans; L. C. Gregory, Baton Rouge, La.; A. C. Toups, New Orleans. Norfolk district—E. W. Cheshire,

Norfolk, Va.
Oakland district—J. W. Quintell,
Sacramento, Calif.; R. C. Garrett, Red Bluff, Calif.; W. H. Baker, Oakland; P. W. Sansom, Oakland; G. M. Cross, Corcoran, Calif.; Exeter Mercantile Co., Exeter, Calif.; Joe Leahy, San Francisco; F. P. Vivas, San Francisco; P. W. Butler, San Francisco; F. W. Heckman, Exeter, Calif.; Lustig Furniture & Hardware Co., Hayward, Calif.; J. C. Bitters, Fresno, Calif.; L. W. Priichard, Oakland; W. G.

Roll, Oakland. Seattle district-C. H. Messer,

# TVA Deal for Knoxville Power Falls Through as Time Limit Expires

(Concluded from Page 1, Column 1) state supreme court on a technicality. Application was renewed Oct. 29, and was granted and upheld on appeal. Tennessee's supreme court on Oct. 30 held that the objectors were entitled to be heard and the case reviewed in February, 1935. On the following day the time limit on the agreement of the sale expired.

One of several things can now happen with respect to the Knoxville power supply.

The city might build its own distribution system and buy electricity from the TVA. But its credit might or might not stand a bond issue for the purpose. The PWA at one time offered to lend it money to build such system, but this was withdrawn when the TVA negotiated the purchase of the equipment already in existence and owned by the utility company. That offer might be renewed by the PWA.

The TVA has the authority and the money to build its own distributing system in Knoxville, if it so desires.

The Tennessee Public Service Co. would probably face ruin if a new competing plant were built. Indications are that it is willing to consent to the extension or renewal of the agreement pending the outcome of a test of the constitutionality of TVA's rights and powers.

# Distributors' Product Managers Visit G-E Plants

CLEVELAND-Ten product managers from G-E distributorships recently made a tour of various General Electric plants, the tour being an award for their meritorious work in supervising installation and service of G-E refrigerators.

The trip began Oct. 29 with an inspection of the company's plant at Ft. Wayne, Ind., and from there the party went to Nela Park, Cleveland, headquarters of the General Electric specialty appliance sales department. W. C. Noll, manager of the electric refrigeration product division, led the

Next stop was at Erie, Pa., for a tour through the G-E manufacturing plants in that city, and on Nov. 1, the men arrived in Schenectady for a visit at the factory and the House of Magic.

In the evening, the product managers were guests at a banquet attended by 200 representative G-E workers and several of the company's executives. Among the latter were W. R. Burrows, vice president in charge of manufacturing; and Christian Steenstrup, chief engineer of the G-E refrigerator department. Speeches were made by Messrs. Noll and Steenstrup, and by A. M. Sweeney, sales manager of the refrigeration department.

The 10 product managers making

the trip were:
L. G. Hines, Hines Co., Baltimore;
L. A. Moore, G-E Supply Corp., Salt Lake City; W. D. Trawick, E. Pulver Cook, Inc., Providence; C. H. Miller, O'Bannon Brothers, Little Rock; J. A. Jardine, W. L. Thompson, Inc., Boston; W. A. Ropes, P. H. Harrison & Co., Newark; C. M. Odorizzi, R. Cooper Jr., Inc., Chicago; D. Mat-thews, Perry-Browne, Inc., Columbia, S. C.; Roy Murdock, A. Wayne Mer-riam, Schenectady; W. C. Holliday, George Belsey Co., Ltd., Los Angeles.

# Westinghouse Elects 3 Vice Presidents

EAST PITTSBURGH-Following a recent meeting of the board of Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., President F. A. Merrick announced election of three vice presidents, Roscoe Seybold, formerly comptroller; William G. Marshall, formerly assistant to vice president; and Ralph Kelly, formerly director of budgets. Their headquarters will be in East Pitts-

From 1909 to 1922 Mr. Seybold was manager of the price section of Westinghouse' power and railway departments. In 1922 he was appointed manager of price statistics and assistant to the general sales manager.

In 1926 he became assistant to the vice president and general manager, advancing with that officer as his assistant when he became president of the company in 1929. On Oct. 28, 1931, he was appointed comptroller.

Mr. Marshall in 1929 left public utility personnel work to join the Westinghouse company as assistant to vice president in charge of industrial relations and various allied

Mr. Kelly joined Westinghouse as a design engineer upon his graduation from Harvard university in 1909. During the World War he served with credit as a lieutenant in the

After the Armistice, he returned to of manager of the southwestern district and later manager of the central district. From this he was transferred to headquarters at East Pittsburgh as director of budgets, which office he held at the time of his election to a vice presidency.

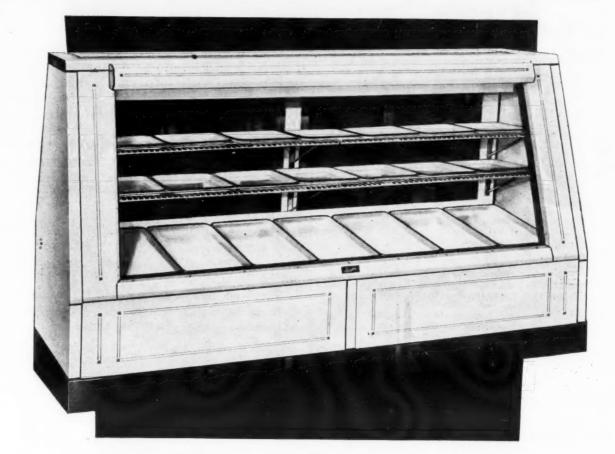
# Pacific Gas & Electric Offers Half Rate On Extra Power

SAN FRANCISCO—As an inducement to its customers, both in homes and commercial establishments to use more electricity for lighting or operating appliances, the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. is offering a reduction of one-half the regular rate for all extra electricity consumed.

This announcement was made Oct. 22 by P. M. Downing, vice president and general manager of the utility. The new rate, he said, will go into effect following December meter read-ings and will be in operation for one

The reduction will operate as follows: a customer who had an electric bill of \$3 last January but through the use of additional electrical equipment has increased his use of power so that his bill at regular rates would be \$6, will receive a \$1.50 reduction.

"We have at present a large volume of surplus power," Downing said. "We want to dispose of it on a basis that will be advantageous to the customer and equitable to the company."



# "THAT'S TELLING 'EM"

Below is the copy of an ad which 132,963 Food Merchants will receive in November, 1934.

# Authorities Agree!

Read these excerpts from letters of Famous Food Authorities (Photostat copy of complete letters on request.)

"The 'Seeger Cabinet' furnished by your company was beautiful and furnished a most appropriate setting for the cheese display therein. Its appearance was only secondary to its efficiency. The cheese showed practically no dehydration during the ten-day display period, and was removed at the conclusion of the fair in perfect condition."

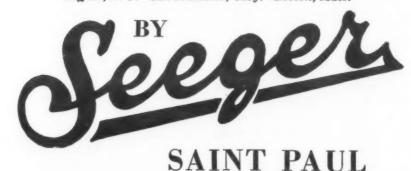
"Your cases are so constructed that they provide an unobstructed view of the meat on the inside. You will be interested to know that no difficulty was encountered in keeping the meat at a uniform temperature throughout the week. Outside temperatures fluxuated from 55° to 90°, while the temperature inside the case did not vary 2° during the week."

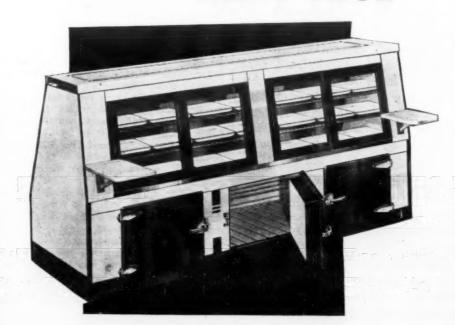
Series Five All-Service Display Case—a New Display Case by Seeger, allows 33 1/3% more food display and has all the modern, essential improvements desired by progressive merchants. Series Five display Case has been built on the requirements of thousands of Food Merchants—specifically and expertly built to create more sales, and greater profits.

See your Electrical Refrigeration Dealer—or write for Literature on Display Cases and Commercial Cabinets.

#### SEEGER REFRIGERATOR COMPANY SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA

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# Refrigeration Becoming A Stabilized Industry

REATLY encouraged was the president of one of the largest manufacturers of refrigerator parts last week when he looked over the figures of his company for October. It was not only the best October in the history of the firm; it exceeded-both in sales and in production—any previous October by three times.

"Just how do you account for this remarkable increase in sales of supplies to manufacturers of electric refrigerators at a time when these latter manufacturers are finding their business practically at a standstill?" this man was asked. "Are electric refrigerator makers kidding us when they say that sales have dropped off precipitately this fall?"

"No," was his answer, "our sales to these manufacturers have no relation whatsoever to their retail sales at the present moment. They are building for next year, laying up a backlog of refrigerators for storage in warehouses, so that they won't be caught short next season as they were last. Four of our biggest customers were so swamped with orders last spring that each of them lost thousands of sales because they couldn't make deliveries. They don't intend to permit a situation like that to be repeated in 1935.

"For us this is a marked step forward. Our production facilities are generally strained to the breaking point during a few months of the year, and then are left idle for the remainder. For the refrigeration industry to level out its production curve in this manner is most encouraging. It will not only permit us to give better and more prompt service, but should help bring down the costs."

Inasmuch as the parts manufacturer quoted above supplies a plurality of the nation's electric refrigeration manufacturers, his observation regarding this phenomenon of manufacturing far in advance of the market demand should be taken as an indication of a major trend in the industry. And well it may be not only a major trend, but a major advance, in the electric refrigeration business; for the spreading of the production curve is a definite and recognizable sign of industry stabilization and maturity.

Last year some of the larger manufacturers stocked up a few thousand refrigerators in the fall and winter because they were afraid that labor troubles might close or impede their factories when spring came. Their apprehensions as to strikes and union squabbles failed to materialize; but they all found it was decidedly fortunate that they had refrigerators warehoused, for an unprecedented demand for their products arose as suddenly as a squall at sea.

Not so worried about the possibility of walkouts in 1935, leading manufacturers are nevertheless proceeding to fill all available warehouses again this fall. One of the largest is even building a mammoth new warehouse. Two have unusually large inventories; and instead of being disturbed over this normally alarming situation, are secretly congratulating themselves over their readiness for whatever may come this spring.

One reason manufacturers are able to get their 1935 models into production so early this year is that small refrigeration machine engineering is so far advanced. Practically all of the leading makes now have refrigerating mechanisms so nearly foolproof and satisfactory that there is no clamor from either field or home office for changes. In fact, distributors are insisting, in many cases, that not even minor changes be made in machines this year.

Cabinets, of course, are subject to restyling. It would appear, however, that changes in style may not be so radical in 1935 as they were in 1934 and 1933. Many manufacturers will use practically the same tools and dies next year as they did this year in their cabinet making. Changes in design will be largely restricted to refinements, and possibly the wider use of colors, it is said in engineering inner circles. Moreover, the smaller boxes-which are still the biggest sellers—are made as economically as possible, and hence are not so susceptible to style changes as the larger models, on which there is more latitude for competition on appearance. Hence it is now relatively easy for a manufacturer to stock his warehouses with the smaller, cheaper models of his line; leaving the manufacture of the larger boxes to a later date when the state of market demand may be determined with better accuracy.

Stabilization of product makes for stabilization of an industry; and stabilization of an industry frequently means more economical manufacturing and selling. If sales managers can only succeed now in spreading demand throughout the year as production men are spreading their manufacturing operations, the entire industry could certainly operate more comfortably, and possibly more profitably,

# WHAT OTHERS SAY

# TVA Utopia

FROM its inception the Government's development of the Tennessee Valley has been associated with Utopian visions. Abundance of electrical energy was to bring great industrial enterprises. Subsistence homesteads were to spring up on all sides and poverty and want were to

But spreading the gospel of electric flatirons and washing machines could not satisfy the aspiration of those in charge of the Tennessee Valley Authority. The Tennessee Valley under the new dispensation provided an ideal setting for restoration of all the conditions of the Garden of Eden. All it lacked was the Adams and Eves living happily in Paradise Regained.

So now Arthur E. Morgan, chairman of TVA, comes forward with the world's most idealistic program. "We are considering," said he, "the development of eugenic babies in the Tennessee River Valley. This can be done by building a model college and town which will accommodate and educate 5,000 young men and women."

The proposal is to enroll "sincere young couples" who desire to wed; give the bride-to-be training in home economics and the duties of motherhood, and the prospective bridegrooms instruction in the responsibilities of an ideal husband and father.

"At the end of four years," says Mr. Morgan, "they will be ready for marriage."

But what a lot of opportunities there are for young people to change their minds during a four-year college course! At that, maybe it will work. At least no one will say that such a scheme is not well intended.—Detroit News.

### A New Industry

THE Fedders Mfg. Co., Inc., which manufactures automobile radiators and other products, is going into the air-conditioning business as an important sideline.

Air conditioning is the mechanical process by which it is possible to keep your home or office at a warm, even temperature in winter and at a cool, even temperature in summer. You encountered it this last summer when you entered one of the movie theaters that advertise, "20 degrees cooler inside."

Air conditioning is not exactly new but it has been mechanically perfected within the last few years. It is one of those industries to which economists have looked for a lift that will get us out of the depression just as structural steel, automobiles, and radios have lifted the country out of depressions in the past.

Home owners long ago threw out the parlor "base burner" and installed furnaces for central heating. If a few million of them should decide within the next year or two that the time has come when they can afford to keep cool in summer as well as warm in winter a lot of unemployed men would be going back to work.

There are two kinds of manufacturing concerns. One is typified by the horse collar plant that went bankrupt when the auto came in, the other by that firm that anticipates changing conditions, changing styles, and new popular conveniences and governs itself accordingly. The Fedders company evidently belongs to the latter group.-Buffalo Times.

# **LETTERS**

# Another View of the TVA

4115 Buell Drive, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

I cannot help but admire your straight forwardness in giving your opinion on TVA and EH&FA in your last editorial.

I agree with you that their activities are likely to demoralize existing selling organizations and plans as they are today in that territory.

Anybody, however, that has been through this territory can very readily testify that there are many thousands of families whose incomes are far below any possibility of buying appliances from existing selling organizations.

These people are American citizens and have just as much potential abilities and desires as any of the rest of us if given an opportunity to get and hold what they want.

To the best of my knowledge there has never been any private enterprise that has endeavored to lift them from their present state of poverty.

Undoubtedly there are going to be some private enterprises that will suffer from this development but it is far better to give them a temporary setback than to continue indefinitely the existing conditions of want and desire formed in the average family of this locality.

Also I would like to express another thought along this line. Why not develop the markets of this kind found in various parts of our country and quit fanning international hatreds so much in fighting for foreign trade?

If you will look into the future and forget your present prejudices I believe you will agree with me from a business standpoint if from no other.

Under your paragraph of possibili-ties of further injustice to be wreaked upon other groups by the culmination of TVA activities I cannot see your point at all.

If you will go back 20 years or so ago you will remember that the cities were calling away countless thouof independent families from rural districts by bright promises of easy money and a job as long as they wanted to work.

We all know how miserably these promises have failed. These families are now at the mercy of industrial leaders and if they do not provide work for them they must either starve or accept public charity.

This is emphatically wrong and if these people are not again given the opportunity to become permanently at least partially independent through developments such as TVA. Heaven only knows what the next 25 years

J. K. MARQUARDT.

#### TVA Editorial Commended Ludwig Hommel & Co.

600-620 Second Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Editor:

You have written an admirable editorial published in the Oct. 31 number of your paper. No matter how sympathetic one may be with the sincere and able efforts of President Roosevelt, there seems to be no justification for this governmental competition in the refrigeration busi-

### Government Interference

1223 West Sixth St., Cleveland

Editor:

The writer desires to compliment you upon your logical and sensible stand upon the danger and damage the government interference with the refrigerator industry. It is bad enough to introduce such Socialistic ventures into public utility lines, but to destroy an industry in this fashion, it is simply criminal.

We were not aware that the President or our government had any mandate to use such destructive methods in trying to correct the unfortunate condition in which this country exists at the present time.

C. EDSON, General Mgr.

# Information on Service

Wholesale Radio Service Co. 100 Sixth Ave., New York City

We are the largest radio mail order house in the world and have just recently gone into the electrical refrigeration replacement parts busi-

Aside from the usual business reasons for our entering this new field, we have done so because we feel that the radio service man is extremely equipped both in training and experience to enter this new field.

However, at the same time, we believe that the average radio service man will find helpful a booklet possibly reprinting articles that have already appeared in ELECTRIC REFRIG-ERATION NEWS either giving general hints as to servicing refrigerators or selling their services, etc.

I believe that many such articles have appeared in ELECTRIC REFRIGER TION NEWS and would greatly appreciate your advising if anything appeared of this nature or any other similar matter that you think would be of interest to those just entering the refrigerator repair business.

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ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION Answer: News has been giving increased attention to all phases of the service problem in its editorial columns. A series of articles on the servicing of "orphan" makes of equipment has been published in recent months. We are holding this type matter and, after further editing, plan to publish it in book form.

So far, we have not made a definite announcement regarding this book and will probably not attempt to complete this job until we have turned out the 1935 edition of the Refrigera-TION DIRECTORY AND MARKET DATA

We therefore have no books available at present and would suggest that you purchase back issues of ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION NEWS containing these service articles.

## Likes Directory Service

Liberty Refrigeration Corp. 237 Georgia Ave., Providence, R. I.

In response to your letter of Oct. 22, we are enclosing questionnaire with revisions incorporated for the free listing in the 1935 DIRECTORY.

We are also forwarding under separate cover literature and catalog pertinent to our line to date.

Expressing our appreciation at this time for the type of service your publication has given us and the industry as a whole, and thanking your officers for their courtesy and cooperation, may we wish you every success in publishing a bigger and better Directory for 1935.

L. SHEERAN, Supt.

# Norge Engineers' Names

Norge Corp. 670 E. Woodbridge, Detroit, Mich. Editor:

Your reporter who covered the recent trip of the local chapter of the A.S.R.E. through the Goebel plant must have been exhausted climbing up and down so many stairs or partaken too liberally of those refreshments the Goebel company had

on hand. Everybody in the chapter should know Earl Hubacker by this time, but I do not believe I ever met Edward.

E. T. Morton is one of the newer members of our staff, but Mr. Maton is a total stranger.

Roy Nelson, whose initials are R. G. by the way, had only regrets the next day because he was unable to

attend. Oh, yes, I was there too, Mr. Editor. J. C. BUCHANAN, Engineering Dept. Answer: Sorry, Mr. Buchanan. If

you gentlemen would just be kind enough to sign the register provided for that purpose, and (note to Mr. E. T. Morton) sign it legibly, there would be no difficulty in keeping the record straight.

# Group Subscriptions

Refrigeration Research Institute Chicago, Ill.

We are just organizing a club consisting of refrigerator service men to better themselves in refrigeration and air conditioning. Can you assist us in getting publications on refrigeration and air conditioning?

We have a membership of more than 65 men at this writing.

J. A. NASMAN, Librarian. Answer: We suggest that your members subscribe to ELECTRIC REFRIG-ERATION NEWS taking advantage of the reduced rates for group orders. The rate for 5 or more subscriptions, each, \$2.75 per year; 10 or more, each-\$2.50 per year; 20 or more, each-\$2.25 per year; 50 or more, each-\$2.00 per year. Check must be sent with order.

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Kansas City Power & Light Co. Kansas City, Mo. Editor:

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DAISY DAVISON, Librarian. Answer: Back issues may be had at a cost of 10 cents each by addressing the subscription department, which will fill all orders except those for issues which are out of stock.

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# **HOME SERVICE**

# **New Plans for Home Service** Proposed at G-E Conference

CLEVELAND - Home economists | from all sections of the country, representing food manufacturers, magazines, newspapers, public utilities and General Electric distributors, attended the Fourth Annual Home Service conference at General Electric's Kitchen Institute, Nela Park, here, October 25 and 26.

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The program for the conference was planned and directed by Edwina Nolan, director of G-E home service

A number of woman editors of national prominence participated in the conference. "When You Read a Magazine" was discussed by Sarah Field Splint, McCall's Magazine; Josephine Wylie, Better Homes and Gardens; Nell B. Nichols, Woman's Home Companion; and Alice Blinn, Ladies Home

The program included talks by A. M. Sweeney, sales manager; M. R. Poteat, range division manager; C. M. Snyder, dishwasher division manager; Victor Civkin, director of kitchen planning; Frank Corliss, commercial division; W. M. Timmerman, manager of commercial engi-neering division; H. Freeman Barnes, sales promotion manager, lamp department; and Dr. Matthew Luckiesh, director of lighting research labora-tories, General Electric Co.

# Kitchen Planning Contest

Three new plans inaugurated by the G-E home service department were introduced at the conference. These included a competition, sponsored by General Electric Institute and open to dealers, distributors, utilities and department stores, for proper arrangement of kitchen equipment; a home service plan for department stores; and a cooperative home service plan for educational in-

Prizes to be given in the kitchen planning includes a first prize of \$20, a second prize of \$10, and four men-

In the problem the contestant is to arrange G-E kitchen equipment. The contestant is to assume that the family consists of husband, wife and three children, the family having an income of \$3,000 and living in a \$9,000

### Department Store Objectives

Objectives of the home service plan for department stores are as follows: (1) promote the use of electrical appliances; (2) increase floor traffic in the department; (3) establish this department to the people of the com-

partment to the people of the community as a place of authority for all electrical appliances.

Methods for keeping a department store kitchen "active" were outlined in the following manner:

Advertise cooking schools to the public, user's day, distribution of the menu service, cooking schools for menu service, cooking schools for "little women"; women's club meetings, a day for home economics departments of high schools.

With respect to the cooking school,

it is declared that if a tea room is in connection with the store's appliance department, the school should start at 2 p. m. to take advantage of the tea room patrons. A menu for the day should always be prepared and the school should last for about 11/2 hours.

The menu for the day and the special recipe should be mimeographed and given to each customer. Some recipes from the company's standard recipe book can be used but recipe books should be sold. Cards should be distributed to each woman attending in order to make up a prospect list.

# Cooking School for Girls

The cooking school for "little women" is designed to interest girls between the ages of 8 and 14 years. A series of six lessons on elementary cooking has been planned, the course to be given on Saturday mornings. A "cake baking" contest is suggested as the "final examination" in this school.

A novelty in the form of a "bachelor" cooking school was also suggested at the conference. It should be advertised as a school where foods in which men are particularly interested will be cooked.

One of the members of the G-E home service department reported that a department store electrical appliance department had recently conducted a cookie baking contest with considerable success. The cooperation of a shortening manufacturer was solicited, and home economics classes throughout the city were asked to

Rules of the contest were that the participant baked the cookies herself; that the advertised shortening and flour were used, and that only one batch of cookies could be entered by one person. The cookies were brought to the appliance department for judging, were then displayed in the department, and later sent to charities and hospitals.

G-E's cooperative educational plan for colleges is designed to educate the students in the use of modern elec-trical appliances. Two types of plans have been arranged, one being a cooperative setup offered to junior or graduate students of home economics from reputable colleges, and the other being a plan to contact schools with home economics departments, educating both staff and students on the use

of new kitchen appliances.

There is a decided lack of knowledge in colleges regarding electrical appliances, declared the G-E home service head. The Department of the Interior of the United States has sent G-E the names and locations of 119 colleges with recognized home economics departments. This list is classified into five groups. They are: Group I—State Universities.

Group II—Women's Colleges.
Group III—Teachers Colleges.
Group IV—Normal Schools.
Group V—Endowed or Private In-

The classification of colleges is an important factor in formulating an active, comprehensive and educational program. All State universities have home economics departments. The strongest and most active depart-ments are located in the middle west. This is due to the fact that these colleges are land grant colleges from the state and agricultural schools predominate. There are very few endowed or private women's colleges with home economics departments.

#### To Give Equipment Course

Plan No. 1 is a plan to have junior or graduate students of home economics come to the Institute at Cleveland and take the modern kitchen equipment course. This plan was used this summer with Cornell University and Western Reserve.

Objectives of this plan are to offer home economics students an oppor-tunity to study the subject of home economics from a commercial view-point, to put home economics women who have had experience in closer touch with opportunities for employment in the commercial field, and to educate these women to the uses of G-E equipment.

At the close of the semester a given number of graduates or under-graduates are selected by the college staff and sent to the Institute at Nela Park. A course in modern kitchen equipment is given for five days.

The course includes: the use of the range, refrigerator, and dishwasher; kitchen planning; training courses for the salesmen, the product men and the employee; cooking schools for the user and the prospect; presenting home calls; presenting the all-electric

### Promote Sale of Appliances

Plan No. 2 is designed to promote the sale and use of appliances in university and college laboratories. Just recently, colleges and universities have realized the need for a course in electrical equipment.

Many colleges have equipped their laboratories with new electrical anpliances but do not teach or advocate the proper method of using these appliances. It is obvious that an electrical manufacturer must have a promotional program of this kind.

A plan to reach colleges and universities will serve two objectives: stimulate interest and sales of appliances; educate home economics staff and students on the uses of appliances.

Following are a few suggestions for a plan to follow:

1. Select five colleges (each college should be representative of its group). 2. Contact the head of the home eco-

nomics department and have her arrange a meeting with the staff of the university and present the story. 3. Install all-electric kitchen in the laboratory. (This would include range,

refrigerator and dishwasher.) 4. Conduct a school for the staff.

5. Conduct a school for the students. The other divisions of the company should cooperate by installing laundry equipment and small appliances.

This equipment should be sold to the colleges and not given away.

A definite payment plan and discount should be allowed universities. Their budget, as a rule, is limited but if one college is supplied free of charge it will be necessary to take this step with all colleges.

# Modern Appliances Used in Rex Cole Cafeteria



Management of Rex Cole, Inc., New York G-E distributor, practices what it preaches by using General Electric ranges, dishwashers, and refrigerators in the cafeteria it maintains for use by Cole employees at lunch time.

The distributor should participate because it will mean more future sales for his organization. It is also a won-derful chance for publicity.

A project of this kind will be invaluable to the G-E company inasmuch as it will be the first real move on a manufacturers part to cooper-

ate with universities in an educational way. It is valuable advertising be-cause many of these students will enter the business world and naturally would recommend the equipment they

are most familiar with.

For example: A student at Iowa
State College, Ames, Iowa, where Gen-

eral Electric refrigerators are used, accepted a position at Morell Packing Co. (a national packing house in Iowa).

It was her first job to equip a kitchen and she chose General Electric. This concern is located in a town that is 100 per cent Frigidaire.

A good reputation can be maintained only by continuance of good performance. Universal Cooler's reputation for dependability extends back over ten years. And Universal Cooler has so shaped its manufacturing policies that its reputation will remain carefully safeguarded always.



Universal Cooler Corporation DETROIT, MICHIGAN BRANTFORD, ONTARIO

MANUFACTURERS OF A COMPLETE LINE OF HOUSEHOLD AND COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATION EQUIPMENT General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

# AIR CONDITIONING **SPECIFICATIONS**

# **Self-Contained Conditioners**

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Prigidaire Corp., Dayton, Ohio.  Self-contained air conditioners (compressor in base). Mo air connection for a window. Model SCVH66 also has the fresh heating coils and a humidifier.				
Model No.	SC 38	SC 75	SCV 66	SCVE
Dimensions (Overall)				
Height (in.) Width (in.) Depth (in.)	2678	$\frac{42\frac{1}{2}}{30}$ $\frac{23\frac{3}{4}}{4}$	$\frac{30\%}{62}$ $\frac{20\%}{8}$	$\frac{30\%}{62}$
Compressor				
No. of cylinders           Bore (in.)           Stroke (in.)           Compressor speed (r.p.m.)           Size of motor (hp.)           Normal refrigerant charge (lbs.)	$\frac{1\frac{1}{2}}{7/16}$ $\frac{7}{16}$	$\begin{array}{c} 2\\134\\21/2\\450\\1\\8\end{array}$	2  1	1
Blower				
Blower speed (r.p.m.)   Size of blower motor (hp.)   1   Total circulation (c.f.m.)   5	/100	800 1/30 —adj.,	1/30	1/30
Weight, net (lbs.)	860	450	500	510
Total shipping weight (lbs.)	52	616	828	828
Suggested installed price	\$335	\$525	\$631	\$697
Functions Performed Blower				
Type of blower	M	odel S	C-38_5	Jorow.

Models SC-38, SC-75, and SCV-66—cooling, circulating, and dehumidifying. Model SCVH-66—cooling, heating, circulating, dehumidifying, and humidifying.

Make	of	compressor compressor ressure safet	motor	Delco
Type	of	compressor	control.	

expansion valve

#### Refrigerant used Type of refrigerant control. Thermostation

Cabine	t			
Finish	of	cabinet		

Blower
Type of blowerModel SC-38— type, trailing blades; others— cent
Air Circulating System Location of air intake

Air Circi	alating Sys	stem	
Location	of air in	take	Bac
Fresh ai	r intake	provision	On model
Type of	discharge	grille	Adjustabl
Surfaces			
Make of	cooling co	ilFrigid	aire cross-fi

Cooling coil tubing Co	Surfaces Make of cooling coilFrigidaire cross. Cooling coil tubing
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SHILACCE	Surfaces

alve	Type of humidifierPan-type
	Controls
75— Buff	Liquid line solenoid valve; thermostat (as accessory); SCVH-66 has a modulating thermostatic steam valve.

### General Electric

General Liecinic
General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y.
Self-contained room air conditioners with compressor in base. Outside air connection provided.
Model No
Dimensions (Overall)
Height (in.)       39¼       37½         Width (in.)       63       41½         Depth (in.)       14¾       13%
Compressor
No. of cylinders
Blower
Diameter of wheel (in.)
Surfaces

Burraces	
Area of cooling surfaces	
(sq. ft.) 46	
Area of heating surfaces	
(sq. ft.)	

(sq. ft.)  Area of heating surfaces (sq. ft.)		29.
Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u./l	ır.)	
(With 80° F. condensing waterenering with 80° F. dry bulb to at 50% relative humidity. It temperature of model FR-1 is	emp	eratur
of model FC-1 is 32° F.) Dehumidification		

Sensible cooling Total capacity .



The Ansul tradition . . . to make as fine refrigerants as it is possible to produce . . . was established years ago. That this ideal has never for a moment been lost sight of is evidenced by the reputation for high quality products that has been established.

You will find Ansul Sulphur Dioxide and Ansul Methyl Chloride perfect for refrigeration purposes. Quality is guaranteed because every cylinder is given an individual analysis.

ANSUL CHEMICAL CO. MARINETTE - WISCONSIN

Heating Capacity (B.t.u.'s per hour with 2-lb. steam)12400	
Humidification Capacity	
Lbs. of water per hour 1.8	
Weight, net (lbs.)576 Total shipping weight (lbs.)743	368 414
List Price, f.o.b. factory \$625	
Functions Performed  Model FR-1 — heating, humidi cooling, dehumidifying, cleaning and culating. Model FC-1—cooling, dehu fying, and circulating.	fying, d cir- ımidi-
Compressor	
Make of compressor Make of compressor motor Type of compressor motor. Model F a.c. repulsion or d.c compound; FC-1—a.c. capacitor or d.c com Make and type of motor starter across the line may Is high safety cut-out provided by condenser pre Type of compressor controlPre	Mcdel pound .G-E, gnetic .Yes,
Dofulstanani	
Refrigerant used Type_of refrigerant control. Thermo expansion  Cabinet Make of cabinet Finish of cabinet.	static valve
Blower	amut
Type of blower Model FR-1—two do inlet multivane; Model FC-1—propellor  Make of blower motor Model FR-1  Type of blower motor Model FR-1	ouble- -G-E type G-E
Type of blower motorModel FR-1 capacitor or d.c. tapped series; FC-1—a.c. shaded poles or d.c.	-a.c. model shunt

Location of air intake ...... End
Location of air discharge...Model FR-1—
front; Model FC-1—top
Fresh air intake provision...Model FR-1—
yes; Model FC-1—no
Make and type of discharge grille...Model
FR-1—G-E louvered; Model FC-1—finand-bar type and-bar type Cooling coil tubing....Copper dipped in solder Cooling coil fins .....Copper Heating coil fins....Copper dipped Heating coil fins....Copper dipped Copper Co Humidifying and Cleaning Type of humidifler.......Open pan
Type of filter..Dry—"adhesive impingement" type

Air Circulating System

Water regulating valve standard on both models. Thermostat and humidistat optional on model FR-1.

# ACE HARD RUBBER SLIDING DOORS



For Refrigerated Dis-play Cabinets, Doors, Door Frames, Stide Rails, Jambs, Glazing Strips, Trim. Standard and special sizes. Catalogue No. 4500 on request. the roller bearing fea-ture of Ace Hard Rub-ber door frames.



# Remote Floor-Type Conditioners

# General Electric

AD models perform year-'round functions and ha AG models are room coolers only, performing cooling, del without fresh air connection.	ve outsic humidifyi	de air	conn	ectics lating
Model No.	AD-3	AD-4	AG-1	AG-
Dimensions (Overall)				
Height (in.) Width (in.) Depth (in.)	35%	$39\frac{1}{4}$ $50\frac{5}{8}$ $14\frac{3}{8}$	$31\frac{1}{2}$ $31$ $17\frac{1}{2}$	31 1 31 17 1
Blower				
Diameter of wheel (in.)	6	6	10	10
Blower speed (r.p.m.)		$\frac{820}{1/30}$	800* 900† 1/100	800* 900† 1/10
Total circulation (c.f.m.) Maximum fresh air intake (%)		450 £4.6	475* 535†	475* 535†
Surfaces Area of cooling surfaces (sq. ft.)	43 15	78 29.2	40	80
Refrigeration Capacity (B t.u./hr.) (With 80° F. entering ai				
50% relative humidity, and an evaporator temperature of Dehumidification Sensible cooling Total capacity	2650 $4450$	5200 9800 15000	2750 4650 7400	5500 9300 1480
Heating Capacity (B.t.u.'s per hour with 2-lb. steam)	12400	22700		
Humidification Capacity				
Lbs. of water per hour		3		
Weight, net (lbs.) Total shipping weight (lbs.)	213	298 372	$\begin{array}{c} 67 \\ 114 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 83 \\ 130 \end{array}$
* 60 cycles or d.c. † 50 cycles.	\$295	\$385	\$175	\$200
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Functions Performed  Models AD-3 and AD-4—Cooling de-			odel A	D-3-

Models AD-3 and AD-4—Cooling, dehumidifying, heating, humidifying, cleaning, and circulating. Models AG-1 and AG-2—cooling, dehumidifying and circulating.

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Blower	
Type of	blower Model AD-3-two double-
inlet	multivane; Model AD-4 four
	double-inlet multivane; others-
Molro of	propellor type

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Locati	on of					AD-3-
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AD-	3 and	AD-	4-G-E	-louve	red; c	thers-
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Surfaces		G-E turning vane type
		tubingCopper dipped in solder
		fins
Heating	coil	finsCopper
<b>H</b> umidif	ying	and Cleaning

Type of humidifier.....Open pan Type of filter....Dry—"adhesive impinge-ment" type Thermostat, humidistat and liquid line solenoid valve—all optional.

### Frigidaire

Frigida Reconnect heat in	mote tion,	floo	r-ty	rpe	Ca	bin	ets	M	lod [-4	lel:	s	RV	V-6 V-	36 4	and with	RVH-66	with coils.	an Has	outsid refrig	e a gerai
Model	No.							 						R	V66	RVH66	$\mathbf{H}3$	<b>H</b> 4	<b>V</b> 3	V4
Dimens	ions	(Ov	eral	1)																
Height Width Depth	(in.)							 							62	$30\frac{5}{8}$ $62$ $20\frac{1}{8}$	31¾ 39¼ 14	$\frac{3134}{3914}$ $\frac{14}{14}$	$\frac{43\%}{28\%}$ $\frac{14}{4}$	438 283 14

Dimensions (Overall)					
Height (in.) Width (in.) Depth (in.)	62 63	0% 313 2 393 0% 14	4 313 4 391 14	435% 2834 14	435% 2834 14
Blower Blower speed (r.p.m.) Size of blower motor (hp.) Total circulation (c.f.m.) 300	800 800 1/30 1/ 0 to 400, a	30 1/2 dj. 400	1/20 400	1/20 340	1/20 340
Weight, net (lbs.) Total shipping weight (lbs.)			$\frac{244}{324}$	$\frac{231}{313}$	$\frac{261}{342}$
Suggested installed price \$4	91 9496 50	\$949.50	9996 50	9195 50	2220 50

runctions	Perior	mea				
Cooling,	dehun	idify	ing.	and	circula	ting.
Models R heating.	VH66,	H4,	and	V4	have	also

Refrigerant	
Refrigerant used	Freo
Type of refrigeran	t controlThermostati
Cabinet	Companies of the control of the cont

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Cabine	t						
Finish	of ca Burled	binet walnut	H	and uer;	$_{\rm R}^{\rm V}$	mo	dels

Blower				
	f blower		Double	centrifugal
Air Cir	culating !	System	1	
Fresh a	ir intake	discha provi	sion	Top On RV66 and RVH66
Surface				
Cooling	coil tubi	ng	Spira.	Frigidaire I fin copper
Make o	f heating	coil		Copper Frigidaire

# els— Heating coil tubing.....Spiral fin copper Buff Heating coil fins ..............Copper

# Trane

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Model	No.									62-2	92-2	102-2	112-2	122-2

	DE	DE	DE	DE	DE
Dimensions (Overall)					
Height (in.)		32	32	38	38 7214 1814
Width (in.) Depth (in.)	481/4	6214 1434	681/4	$\frac{38}{724}$	7214
Depth (in.)	1114	14%	143%	1814	1814
Blower					
Blower speed (r.p.m.)	350	850	850	850	850
Size of blower motor (hp.) Total circulation (c.f.m.)	1/20	1/8		1/2	1/2
Total circulation (c.f.m.)	500	1000	1500	2000	2500
Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u./hr. based on an average 40° F., 80°F, entering air at 55% relative humidity)	ge re	efrigera	nt ten	aperatu	re of
Total capacity	16230	26000	44800	54200	60000
Weight, total shipping (lbs.)	200	390	450	800	900

# Frigidaire Controls Air Conditions in Train On Record Trip

NEW YORK CITY - Passengers aboard the Union Pacific's high-speed streamliner as she streaked across the continent from Los Angeles to New York City last week in 56 hours and 55 minutes, a world record for long distance rail travel, tasted the benefits of complete air conditioning.

For as the rail bullet shot eastward from the cool atmosphere of the coast into the hot temperatures of the region flanked by Death Valley and the Imperial Valley, then into the snow-capped area of the Continental Divide, and down on to the prairies of the middle west, a Frigidaire airconditioning system swung back and forth from one season to another in a space of only a few hours. The train was built by Pullman.

The two nine-car Pullman trains now under construction for Union Pacific and destined to go into service as sister trains of the one now on tour, are similarly equipped, as is the world's first streamliner, built last year and on exhibition all summer at the World's Fair.

Functions Performed Cooling, dehumidifying and circulating. Heating coils added if desired. Refrigerant Refrigerant used......Freon or methyl chloride

Make of cabinet ......Own
Finish of cabinet.....Black with nickel
trim. Gray priming coat only if desired Blower

Type of blower...Slow speed, multi-blade Air Circulating System Location of air intake...Front at bottom Location of air discharge .......Top Make of discharge grille...Trane Airflo Surfaces

Make of cooling coil.....Own

# Air-Conditioning **Specifications**

Supplementing last week's presentation of specifications of 148 air conditioners made by 19 manufacturers, Electric Refrigeration News publishes on pages 10 and 12 specifications on Frigidaire, General Electric, Nesbitt, and Trane air-conditioning equipment which were received during the current week. Data on additional equipment will be published as received.

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# Nesbitt

John J. Nesbitt, Inc.

Floor-type air-conditioning unit for remote installation of compressor. Units designed for either direct expansion or cold water. Nesbitt also makes special duct-type units handling up to 600 cu. ft. of air per minute. Philadelphia, Pa. 

21100101 210		
Dimensions (Overall)		
Height (in.)	36 46	36 56
Depth (in.) 14	14	14
Blower		
Diameter of wheel (in.). 7 Total circulation	7	7
(c.f.m.)	600	800
(%)25	25	25
Surfaces		
Area of cooling surfaces (sq. ft.)125	188	250
Area of heating surfaces (sq. ft.)	50	66
Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u	/hr.)	
(With 80° entering air at humidity, and a 40° F. re temperature.)		
Dehumidification8000	11600	

Heating Capacity (B.t.u.'s per hour, 2-lb. steam)....23700 35600 47400 Humidification Capacity Lbs. water per hour... 10 Weight Net weight (lbs.).....325 375 Total shipping (lbs.)...375 425 List Price F.o.b. factory ......\$257 \$297 \$335

Functions Performed Cooling, dehumidifying, heating, humidifying, cleaning, and circulating. Refrigerant Refrigerant used.......Freon methyl chloride, or refrigerated water Type of refrigerant control. Thermostatic expansion valve

Cabinet Make of cabinet.......Walnut grain,
wrinkle green or brown
Blower Blower Air Circulating System Location of air intake .... Bottom
Location of air discharge ... Top
Fresh air intake provision ... Yes
Make and type of discharge
grille ... Nesbitt streamline bar

Surfaces Make of cooling coil ... Own
Cooling coil tubing ... Copper
Cooling coil fins ... Copper
Make of heating coil ... Own
Heating coil tubing ... Copper
Heating coil fins ... Copper Humidifying and Cleaning Type of humidifier Spray
Type of filter Dry
Make of filter American

Controls Thermostat, humidistat, liquid line sole-noid valve, and water-regulating valve.

# Filene Sons Will Cool **Entire Store**

BOSTON-Wm. Filene Sons Co. department store here has just contracted with Carrier Engineering Corp. for expansion of its air-conditioning system from the present 400ton capacity which cools the basement to an 1,150-ton system to cool the entire store—a total of 320,000

sq. ft. of floor space.

Completion of this contract will make the Filene store the largest 100 per cent air-conditioned department store in the world, according to Carrier engineers. Work on the installation has already been started.

The entire eight floors of the main building will be air conditioned, in addition to the basement which Carrier air conditioned in 1927. This includes six sales floors and two floors occupied by restaurants and offices. Small shops adjoining the main building will also have the benefits of air conditioning.

#### NO MORE BROKEN BASES

THE rugged steel frame and the Stainless Steel Shell of the new Type KR Ranco eliminates the possibility of broken bases and covers. Complete descriptive bulletin supplied on request.

#### RANCO THERMOSTAT

THE AUTOMATIC RECLOSING CIRCUIT BREAKER COMPANY 1300-10 Indianola Avenue, Columbus, Ohio

# **AIR CONDITIONING**

# **Need for Humidification of Air** Explained in Mitchell's Booklet

NEW YORK CITY — A piece of consumer sales literature so exhaustive that it is virtually a treatise on the need for winter humidification has been issued by the Mitchell Fin Humidifier Co., 400 Madison Ave., New York. It touches on several aspects of the dry-air evil, but bases its principal sales attack on the common cold. No modest envelope stuffer, this. It

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is portfolio size, and the text in its 23 pages, while brief, is set in type of such commanding proportions that every word grabs attention. These features, plus the thoroughness of its presentation, make this promotion piece one of the most effective so far produced in the humidifier field.

Opening with the query, "What did colds cost you last year?" the bro-chure declares that "the common cold exacts \$2,000,000,000 yearly toll in the United States alone." And still an-other sheet advises that the reader "lessen susceptibility to colds simply and inexpensively through proper home humidification."

Calling water the key to vigorous health and joyous living, the piece goes on to say that blood is 90 per cent water and the human body two-thirds water. Water is being continuously evaporated from the body. Over a million perspiration glands assist in this, and make it vital that we replenish the supply frequently, it explains.

Here the copy makes another ad-

"the drinking of water is not the only requisite. We must breathe it. . .

"Air is thirsty for water. The relation between air and its moisture content is known as relative humidity. Air is dry when its relative humidity is low. That is, when it is thirsty for water. Air in most homes . . . during the winter has a relative humidity even lower than that of Death Valley Desert (23 per cent)."

Thirsty air destroys life, it asserts, then describes concisely our respiratory organs, emphasizing the fact that the latter are constantly awash with moisture and that they must be kept so. It points out that there are 725,-000,000 air sacs in the lungs, and that the air we breathe is dissolved in the moisture in our lungs and transformed into blood.

Now comes a double-page, double deck streamer shouting that "humidification is vitally important to health," followed by assertions that is vitally important to there are fewer than 5,000 homes in the U.S. having correct humidification, that the human body can adapt itself to dry air, but only at the cost of weakened resistance to germs of colds and other respiratory ailments. Further, that 30 per cent of the coal purchased each winter for home heating is wasted through over-heat-

Not overlooked is the beauty-preservation appeal. "The charm of soft skin, the glory of luxurious hair vance toward the real meat of its sub- these are nature's gifts to every ject, humidification, by stating that woman. It is pathetic to reflect on these are nature's gifts to every

the havoc wrought by dry, thirsty air on these most cherished possessions.'

Doctors agree, it is stated, that . "the relative humidity of indoor air should average between 40 and 50 per cent. The average home requires the evaporation of from three to 10 or more gals. of water per day during the heating season.

Then comes a two-page spread on the Mitchell Fin Humidifier — first mention made of it. The equipment is not described, but a drawing shows how it is installed on a steam radiator, the water pan being underneath, with large fins extending up between the radiator's sections. Three short paragraphs tell simply what the Mitchell will do.

Next page pictures a nicely ap pointed living room. Beneath the picliving room is 13 ft. wide, 20 ft. long, and 9 ft. high. Its cubic content is 2,340 cu. ft. At 0° F. the air of this room can hold water to the extent of 1/8 pt., equal to 1/4 glassful. At 69° F. the same air can hold water to the extent of two pints, equal to four glassfuls. Thus, cold damp air becomes dry on heating because its original moisture content only partially satisfies its new, increased moisture

capacity."
Reproduced in the book is a chart

# Moisture Capacity of Air

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— 5 degrees											۰	۰		۰	. 450
0 (zero)											٠	,			.560
5 degrees													۰		.700
10 degrees						*						4			.873
15 degrees															1.075
20 degrees															1.321
25 degrees							,								1.611
30 degrees															1.958
32 (freezing	g	)													2.113
35 degrees															2.366
40 degrees															2.849
45 degrees															3.414
50 degrees						·									4.076
55 degrees															4.849
60 degrees															5.744
65 degrees													۰		6.782
70 degrees															7.980
72 degrees		i	ì												8.508
75 degrees															9.356
80 degrees															10.933
85 degrees													0	0	12.736

# Relative Humidity of Air

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70 72 74 76 78	95 95 95 96 96	90 91 91 91 91	86 86 86 87 87	81 82 82 83 83	77 78 78 78 78 79	72 73 74 74 75	68 69 70 70 71	64 65 66 67 67	60 61 62 63 64	56 57 58 59 60	52 53 54 55 57	48 49 51 52 53	44 46 47 48 50	40 42 44 45 46	37 39 40 42 43	33 25 37 38 39	30 32 34 34 36	26 28 30 31 33	23 25 27 28 30	20 22 24 25 27
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from U.S. Public Health Service Report No. 1,214, showing the great upswing during the winter season in the frequency of diseases of the respiratory system.

More technical than any other part of this piece are the next two pages, which explain what relative humidity

is, and how to find it. They state that the ideal atmosphere is 68° F. with a 45 per cent relative humidity. Also published are a chart showing the relative humidity in an area

when the dry and wet bulb readings are known, and a table showing the moisture capacity of air at various temperatures.

Rounding out the contents are statements from 17 authorities on the need for winter humidification, and a page of answers to questions frequently asked about humidifying, such as, "Are radiator pans adequate?"

Only one page is given to discussion of the Mitchell equipment itself. It states that the humidifiers are made in 16, 20, 24, and 29-in. lengths, and depths of 1% in. and 2½ in.

Prices for the humidifier, according to size are: 16-in. length with seven fins, \$11; 20-in. with eight fins, \$12; 24-in. with 10 fins, \$14; and 29-in.

# **Brine System Used in** Cooling Offices

CHICAGO-Offices of the Visking Corp., 6800 W. 65th St. here, have been provided with a comfort-cooling system by the Narowetz Heating & Ventilating Co., local agent for Auditorium air-conditioning systems. An existing circulating brine system was utilized, so that the installation of additional mechanical refrigeration was unnecessary, according to the installers.

The new equipment was furnished by the American Blower Co., with Johnson air controls. August Carron & Sons were the general contractors.

# Coal Co. Offices Cooled By Westinghouse

CHICAGO-In the yard office of the Mariott Coal Co. of this city, the midday sun of last summer made conditions unbearable for the workers. When windows were opened, coal dust soon covered books and papers.

A cooling system with Westinghouse equipment was installed to alleviate this condition.

# QUIDATION SAL of GRIGSBY-GRUNOW CO., INC. makers of CAPESTIC RADIOS, TUBES of CAPESTIC REFRIGERATORS

# By Order of the UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

URSUANT to an order of the United States District Court, the Trustee in Bankruptcy of the Grigsby-Grunow Company, Inc., offers for sale all of the machinery, equipment, inventory, good will, patents, trade marks and trade names of the Grigsby-Grunow Company, Inc., as well as real estate and buildings used in the manufacture of MAJESTIC radios, tubes and refrigerators.

> The machinery consists of the very finest makes of all types of metal and wood working machinery, also a completely equipped tube, enameling and plating plant, all of which are in immediate operating condition.

> The inventory consists of made-up parts, parts in process and raw materials for radios, refrigerators and radio tubes. The Service Department on all three items has been kept intact.

> The GOOD WILL consists of the name

"MAJESTIC" as applied to radios, refrigerators and tubes, which name has been extensively advertised throughout the world, and which is secured by copyrights in practically every country throughout the world including many other trade names, patents and copyrights.

The real estate consists of factory buildings having a floor area of approximately 950,000 square feet, suitable for any type of manufacturing.

The Trustee is authorized to sell at public or private sale, and is now prepared to receive offers for any part or parcels of the assets, which offer if satisfactory will be approved.

Competent salesmen will be in attendance at the plant, 5801 Dickens Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, at all times, and an early investigation of the property is solicited.

## REFRIGERATION SERVICE DEPARTMENT

The Trustee, under order of the Court, has set up a Refrigeration Service Department, to maintain service and to sell service parts. This will maintain the name and prestige of "Majestic" and be an asset of major importance to anyone buying the "good will" of the company.

### SERVICE PARTS FOR RADIOS

There is on hand a considerable quantity of service parts for radios which are staple merchandise and are being sold to the users of the millions of Majestic radios now in service.

# A COMPLETE CATALOG

Is available to any prospective buyer on request to Mr. Frank M. McKey, Trustee in Bankruptcy, Grigsby-Grunow Company, Inc., 5801 Dickens Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.

# SPECIFICATIONS

# Suspended-Type Conditioners

Overhead suspension typ	er or	nfort brine.	coolers	for d	lirect	expans	ion of	refrig	gerant.
Model No	15-2 DE	18-2 DE	21-2 DE	24-2 DE	206-2 DE	209-2 DE	210-2 DE	211-2 DE	212-2 DE
Dimensions (Overall)	DL	DL	DE	DE	DL	DE	DL	DL	DL
Height (in.) 16½ Width (in.) 17 Depth (in.) 18½	20 20 185%	23 23 21 1/8	36 26 23%	29½ 29 23%	$13\frac{1}{2}$ $34\frac{1}{2}$ $28\frac{1}{2}$	$16\frac{1}{2}$ $43\frac{1}{2}$ $33\frac{1}{4}$	20 49½ 36¼	20 55½ 39½	$\begin{array}{c} 23 \\ 61 \frac{1}{2} \\ 42 \frac{1}{8} \end{array}$
Blower									
Blower speed (r.p.m.)1140 Size of blower motor	850	850	850	850	850	850	850	850	850
(hp.) 1/20 Total circulation		1/10	1/10	1/10	1/20	1/8	1/8	1/2	1/2
(c.f.m.)410	820	1280	1650	2020	500	1000	1500	2000	2500
Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u humidity, and a refrigerant	./hr.) tempe	with rature	80° F. of 40°	enteri F.	ing air	at 55	per	cent r	elative
Total capacity9800	16000	24000	31400	39000	16320	26000	44800	54200	60000
Weight									
Total shipping (lbs.)115	175	215	250 -◆	300	180	370	430 *	780	870
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General	Electric	Co.,	Schenectady,	N.	Y.
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Model NoAG-4	AG-12	AG-14
Dimensions (Overall)		
Height (in.) 241/8 Width (in.) 291/2 Depth (in.) 167/8	38	22 38 24
Blower Diameter of wheel (in.), 10	14	14
Blower speed 800* (r.p.m.)900† Size of blower motor	860* 930†	860* 930†
(hp.)	1/20	1/20
(c.f.m.)	1200	1200
Surfaces		
Area of cooling surfaces (sq. ft.) 80	122	276
Refrigeration Canacity (Rtn	/hm )	
(With 80° F. entering air at humidity, and a 32° F. retemperature.) Dehumidification5500 Sensible cooling9300	50% refrigera 9900 20100	11200 26300
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Refrige	erant		
Type o	of refrigeran	nt controlThermo	
Cabine	t		
Make o	of cabinet .		G-E
721-1-3-			
Finish	of cabinet	Model AG-4—wa others—dark	
Blower			

Type of blower motora.c. resistance split-phase or d.c compound
Air Circulating System
Location of air intake Model AG-4—ends; others—rear
Location of air dischargeFront Fresh air intake provision Model AG-4—
no; others—optional Make and type of discharge grilleModel AG-4—G-E turning vane type; others— G-E fan guard type
Cooling coil tubingCopper dipped in solder, all but AG-14, which is bare
copper

Cooling	coil	fins					Coppe
Controls							
Therm valve, o			1	liqui	d	line	solenoie

Controls  Thermostat and liquid line solenoi valve, optional.
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REFRIGERATION
PRODUCTS
$\Diamond$
COMMERCIAL EVAPORATORS
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DOMESTIC EVAPORATORS
CONDENSERS
CONDENSERS
METLFLEX ICE TRAYS
SPIRAL FINNED TUBING
SPIRAL COPPER FINNED IRON.
STEEL OR COPPER PIPE
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# **Frigidaire** 'Store Cooler' Prigidaire Corp., Dayton, Ohio.

	"Store cooler" type of air-conditioning unit for use in discharging air directly into a room, or through a duct system
1	Model NoSU34 SUH34 SUD3
	Dimensions (Overall)           Height (in.)         16½         16½         16½           Width (in.)         51½         51½         51½           Depth (in.)         42%         48         48
-	Blower Total circulation (c.f.m.)
	Weight         Net weight (lbs.)400         480         470           Total shipping (lbs.)565         700         680
	<b>Price</b> Suggested installed\$424 \$529 \$677
	Functions Performed  Model SU34 is a comfort-cooling unit; SUH34 has heating coils also; and SUD34 is a dehumidifying unit

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Refrig	ger	ant				
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Blowe		blower		Two	centrifuga	l fans
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th	rough	1 two	adjusta	ble diff	users (which
ca	n be	remo	ved and	ducts	substituted)



# **Duct-Type Conditioners**

#### Trane

The Trane Co., LaCrosse, Wis.

Equipment for duct service or distribution through Trane high-velocity diffuser lets. Data below are for direct expansion refrigerant. Brine and cold water outlets. Data belocoils also available. Dimensions (Overall)  $93\frac{1}{2}$  83 27104%  $\frac{70}{21}$ 83 27 Blower speed (r.p.m.).695 Size of blower motor 927 486 584 438 500 566 630 458 3/4 1 1 11/2 11/2 2 2 6000 7000 8000 9000 10000 11000 12000 Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u./hr.) Total capacity ........55000 65000 90000 107000 114000 136000 140000 168000 173000 189000 Total shipping (lbs.)..1740 1492 1915 1924 2148 2477 3020 3050 4100 4100

> Fairbanks-Morse Co. Introduces Two Conditioners (Concluded from Page 1, Column 4) motor-driven blowers. These twin blowers have a capacity of 350 cu. ft. per minute, and discharge the air through a grille at the top of the

In winter, the Ortho-Clime replaces the radiators in hot water or steam

heating systems, its own radiator

giving an equivalent of 105 sq. ft. of

radiation on 2-lb. steam. Regulation

of heating is by thermostatic control

The unit will supply winter humidi-

fication by running to the inner

cabinet a separate water line having

a mist-head which breaks up the water and sprays it on the fins of

the heated radiator coils. Control of

humidification may be manual or automatic. Air is washed as it is

Heat absorption capacities of model 2420, which has a two-bank heat

Heat absorption capacity of the

It is recommended that mechanical

Outer cabinet of the Ortho-Clime is finished in grained walnut. It is con-

refrigeration be used where available water is over 65° F.

structed of 20-gauge furniture steel and is water-proofed inside. Dimen-

sions are 24½ in. high, 13 in. deep, and 37 in. long. There is no metal-to-metal contact between the inner

and outer cabinets, the cover of the

latter being lined with sound-deaden-ing insulation. Rear of the outer

The motor which operates the twin

blowers has a capacity of 1/20 hp., is of the shaded pole type, and has a

current consumption of 55 watts. It

is equipped with 5-in. double shaft extensions on each of which is mounted a 4%-in. dia. x 5%-in. alum-

inum wheel type multiple-blade fan

Speed of the motor can be regulated

by manipulation of a switch handle

mounted on the control box on the

side of the inner cabinet. High,

medium, or low speeds are provided.

Headers, core-chamber, and fins of the heat exchanger are of one-piece

semi-steel. Shipping weight of model 2420, complete, is 170 lbs.; of model

Smoke Elimination Features

unit having a four-bank heat exchanger, model 4420, follows:

Tons of

Tons of
Befrigeration
Per 24 Hours

forced through the mist-head.

exchanger, are as follows:

of the fan motor.

Temperature of Refrigerating Medium

Temperature of Refrigerating Medium

cabinet is open.

with double inlet.

4420, 235 lbs.

**Punctions Performed**Cooling, dehumidifying and circulating.
May be equipped with heating coil.

Refrigerant
Refrigerant usedFreon or methyl chloride
Cabinet
Make of cabinet
Air Circulating System
Location of air intake
Surfaces
Make of cooling coilTrane Make of heating coilTrane

# General Electric

General Electric Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Year-'round air conditioner for use in central systems. Blower motor has three speeds, capacities being given below for each of the speeds. Model No. ..... — AA-3 — Dimensions (Overall)

Dimensions	(Overail)		
Height (in.) Width (in.) Depth (in.)		- 81¾ - 48¼ - 28%	_
Blower			
Blower spee Size of blow	wheel (in.) d (r.p.m.)635 ver motor 1/4	555	cles)
(c.f.m.)	1600	1400	1250
Maximum fr	esh air intake	- 0-100	
Surfaces Area of cool	ing surfaces		
Alea of cool	ing burraces	65.65.4	

Surfaces		
Area of cooling surfaces (sq. ft.)	231	
Area of heating surfaces (sq. ft.)	211	
Refrigeration Capacity (B.t.u.		
(With 80° entering air at humidity, and a refrigerant of 32° F.)	tempe	rature
Dehumidification16500	15500	14000
Sensible cooling28500	27500	25000
Total capacity45000	43000	39000

		(B.t.u.		hour) 115000	10000
		pacity hour.	_	- 12.5	

Weight Net weight (lbs.) Total shipping (lbs.)	_	698 856	_
List Price F.o.b. factory		\$620	

Punctions Performed Cooling, dehumidifying, heating, humid-ifying, cleaning and circulating.

Cabinet	expansion val
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Make of cabinet	
Finish of cabinet	Dark gr
Blower	
	Double inlet an
Type of blower.	multiva
Make of blower	motor
Turne of blower	notorThree-spee
Type of plower if	split-pha

Cooling co	oil tubing Copper oil fins Copper oil tubing Copper oil fins Copper
Type of h	ng and Cleaning numidifierExtended surface ilterDry—"adhesive impinge- ment" type

Surfaces

Humidistat and thermostat standard. Liquid line solenoid valve optional.

# Vaughan Will Manage Spencer Thermostat

ATTLEBORO, Mass .-- V. G. Vaughan, former manager of the Appliance Engineering Division of Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co. and one of the leading figures on designing the Westinghouse House of Tomorrow at Mansfield, Ohio, has just joined the Spencer Thermostat Co. here as manager in charge of all operations.

Mr. Vaughan was born, 1894, in San Antonio, Tex. In 1915 he graduated from Georgia Tech, and joined Westinghouse as a testing engineer, remaining until 1917 when he went overseas as a lieutenant with 111th engineers, 36th division.

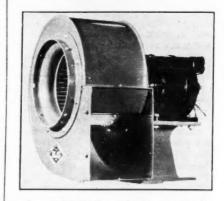
Since the war he has been asso-ciated with the Magnolia Petroleum Co., and more recently with Westinghouse where he has been chiefly concerned with the development of electric irons and heating appliances. He holds some 40 patents in these

# Five Volume Blowers Designed by Ilg

CHICAGO-A new line of blowers for small air-conditioning installa-tions has just been introduced by Ilg Electric Ventilating Co. of this city. Known as type "B" volume blowers, the new equipment replaces Ilg's former type "V" volume blowers.

They are built in five sizes, available in different speeds, with free air capacities ranging from 180 to 2,100 cu. ft. of air per minute, and operat-

# Small Blower



A multi-blade wheel mounted directly on the motor shaft is used in Ilg's new volume blowers.

ing on systems up to 11/2-in. static pressure, according to C. W. Dexter of the Ilg company.

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The steel housing is press formed, and mounted in a cast-iron base. Inlet flange is cast iron. The multi-blade wheel is die-cut, and mounted directly on the shaft of the motor which is placed on the cast-iron base. wheel is dynamically balanced for smooth operation.

"Because they are quiet and smooth running, covering a wide capacity range in small steps, with low power consumption, the new type 'B' volume blowers are suitable for many small ventilating and air-conditioning in-stallations," Mr. Dexter claims.

# **Automatic Develops** New Water Valve

MILWAUKEE—Designed primarily for air-conditioning work, a new water control valve has been introduced by Automatic Products Co. of this city. It is also suitable for use as an air control valve, or for general refrigeration purposes where its brass construction will not be affected by the liquid or gas being controlled, according to Walter E. Schuetz of the Automatic Products' sales department.

The new model 66 valve uses a by-pass solenoid valve to open the main valve seat. Water enters the inlet against both the main valve seat and the by-pass valve. When the solenoid coil is energized, it raises the by-pass plunger.

This plunger, designers explain, is not attached directly to the by-pass valve stem, but travels a short distance and gains momentum before it raises the valve stem itself. This is known as an impact type plunger, and is intended to provide easy opening of the valve under high pressure. When the by-pass valve is opened,

it permits the water to force down the diaphragm, which in turn opens the main valve seat, allowing full capacity of the water to pass through. Constant current is required to keep

the valve open, the power consumption being about nine watts. As soon as the circuit is broken, the by-pass valve drops shut, and since the main valve is opened against a spring, it returns to a closed position. Both by-pass and main valves close with the flow of water.

According to the designers, at 45-lb. line pressure and without any back pressure, the valve will pass 1,500 gallons of water per hour. It has a %-in. orifice, and is furnished in either ½ or %-in. pipe connections. The electrical coil can be furnished for 110 or 220 volt a.c. or d.c., and for 25, 50, or 60 cycles a.c.

The entire valve construction is of brass and non-ferrous materials. The plunger is of stainless steel, the strainer of Monel metal, the diaphragm of a special reinforced diaphragm composition, and the by-pass valve seat and main valve seat of a special rubber composition developed for water valves.

System in Night Club HOUSTON, Tex.-Giving special attention to the removal of smoke, air-conditioning engineers of Straus

Frank Co. have completed the instal-

lation of a Carrier system in The Grove, a night club at Stafford, Tex. Indoor temperature of 76° F. is maintained by two 25-hp. Carrier-Brunswick condensing units which furnish 42 tons of refrigeration.

ETROIT UBRICATOR (OMPANY TRUMBULL, LINCOLN, MARQUETTE & VIADUCT DETROIT, MICH.

Manufacturers of "Genuine Detroit" Automatic and Thermostatic Expansion Valves, American Cube-makers, American Refrigeration Sections, Automatic Controls for Temperature and Pressure, Electric Valves for Refrigerant and Water Control, Thermostats, Humidistats and complete controls for Air Conditioning.

Descriptive literature gladly sent upon request

Division of AMERICAN RADIATOR & STANDARD SANITARY CORPORATION

# **STATISTICS**

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# SALES of 13 Manufacturers to Dealers Drop to 42,120 Units During September, 1934

The following 13 member companies of the Refrigeration Division of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (Nema) reported sales for September, 1934; Crosley Radio Corp., Frigidaire Corp., General Electric Co., Gibson Electric Refrigerator Corp., Kelvinator Corp., Leonard Refrigerator Co., Norge Corp., Servel, Inc., Stewart-Warner Corp., Sunbeam Electric Mfg. Co., Uniflow Mfg. Co., Universal Cooler Corp., and Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co., Member companies not reporting included: Apex Elec. & Mfg. Co., Jomoco, Inc., Merchant & Evans Co., and Sparks-Withington Co. The sales of the reporting companies do, however, include units manufactured for the following concerns: Major Appliance Corp., Montgomery Ward & Co., Potter Refrigerator Corp., Sears, Roebuck & Co., and Truscon Steel Co.

	HOUSEHOLD Lacquer (Exterior)		nestic ales	Canadian	Sales		Foreign ales
	Cabinets with Systems	Quantity		Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
_	Under 3.00 cubic feet.	3,202	\$ 168,143	92	\$ 4,556	1,766	\$ 91,67
1. 2. 3.	3 to 3.99 cubic feet.	271	\$ 168,143 14,524 439,708 384,010	152	9,881	175 2,293	\$ 91,677 10,567
3	5 to 5.99 cubic feet.	4,608	439,708 384 010	83	6,885	1,132	154,939 90,142
4.	<ul> <li>6 to 6.99 cubic feet</li> </ul>	2.362	224,194	68	6.064	453	40,60
5.	7 to 7.99 cubic feet	3,856	445,047	39	4,624	535	59,33
6.	8 to 9.99 cubic feet 10 to 12.99 cubic feet	490	57,847 10,514	13	1,462 196	96	11,630
8.			5,087	1 1	226	2	430
9.	Total Lacquer	21,472	1,749,674	265	24,782	6,454	459,812
	Porcelain (Exterior) Cabinets with Systems	المدر بالمحددة	selected the .				
10.	Under 4.99 cubic feet	724	60,535	1	88	151	13,001
11.	5 to 5.99 cubic feet	308	60,535 29,745 157,574 240,735 160,730 54,675	6	624	110	11,016
12. 13.	6 to 6.99 cubic feet 7 to 7.99 cubic feet	$\frac{1,370}{1,965}$	157,574	12	1,396 798	105	12,691
14.	8 to 9.99 cubic feet	1,075	240,735 160,730	6	1,005	174 100	20.912
15.		301	54,675	$\frac{7}{2}$	366	45	15,373 7,876
16.			58,465	2	449	36	9,079
-	Total Porcelain	6,000	762,459	36	4,721	721	89,348
18.		27,472	<b>2,511,533</b> 242,574	301	29,503	7,175	549,160
19. 20	Separate Systems Separate Household	5,961	242,574	* * * * *		613 ·	26,768
	Low Sides	235	4,283	38	496	325	5,295
21. 22.	Total Lines 18, 19, 20 High Sides, ¼ hp.	33,668		339		8,113	
23.	or Less	284	16,011 4,111	6	349	171	9,356
_	Total Household		2,778,512	• • • • •	30,348	3	330
_				*****	001010		590,909
25	COMMERCIAL Water Coolers with						
40.	Water Coolers with High Sides	1.027	109,847	9	0.40		
26.	water Coolers with			3	946	54	5,386
27.	No High Sides Ice Cream Cabinets with High Sides	52	2,838	1	55	8	467
28.	ice Cream Cabinets		22,230	3	436	42	5,473
29.	with No High Sides Beverage Coolers with	139	17,473	5	482	31	3,319
	High Sides	340	24,775	2	132	5	330
31.	Beverage Coolers with No High Sides Room Coolers with	122	8,170	12	1,837	2	130
32.	High Sides	18	4,412			46	9,935
	No High Sides.  Extra High Sides  ½ to ½ hp. Incl  Above ½ to 1 hp. Incl  Above 1 to 5 hp. Incl  Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl  Above 10 hp.  Total Lines 23, 34, 35, 36, and 37	26	3,636			7	912
33.	1/3 to 1/2 hp. Incl	1,694	145,925	51	4,400	651	51.476
34.	Above ½ to 1 hp. Incl	850	104,273	26	3,322	280	32,631
36	Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl	451 51	104,273 85,383 15,279	16	3,289	75	13,918
37.	Above 10 hp.	8	3,325				
38.	Total Lines 23, 34, 35,	2.054		93		7.000	
	,	3,054		55		1,006	•••••
39.	Total Lines 25, 27, 29, 31, and 38	4,593		107		1,153	
40.	Extra Commercial						
41.	Low Sides	3,045	96,829	87	3,533	603	25,315
	and Cabinets	49	12,905	15	1,301	6	1,581
42.	Total Commercial		657,300		19,763		150,873
43.	Totals—Household and Commercial		\$3,435,812		\$50,111		\$741,782

# Ferro Enamel Organizes Export Division

CLEVELAND—Ferro Enamel Corp. has formed an export division to market Ferro products in foreign countries not reached by Ferro subsidiaries in Canada, England, France, and Holland.

Offices of the new division will be in Ottawa, Canada, and the operations will be under the direction of C. D. Clawson of the Ferro Enamel Corp. of Cleveland, and W. Mavor, managing director of the Ferro Enameling Co., Ltd., of Ottawa.

# G-E Profit Larger than Same Period in 1933

SCHENECTADY—General Electric Co. for the three months ending Sept. 30 reports a net profit of \$3,538,690, comparing with a net profit of \$2,220,520 in the corresponding period of last year.

For the nine months ending Sept. 30, General Electric has earned a net profit of \$13,645,551. In the same period last year profits from operations amounted to \$8,817,891.

Net sales billed in the nine months this year totaled \$121,735,122.

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# STOCKS of Distributors and Dealers Lower as Factory Inventories Increase

	HOUSEHOLD	U. S. INVEN Factory, Branch & Warehouse†		TORIES, SEPTEMI Distributors†		BER 30, 1934	
	Lacquer (Exterior) Cabinets with Systems	or wa	renouser	Quantity	DULOTST	Quantity	value Value
	Under 3.00 cubic feet	11,450	\$ 614,214	3,781	\$ 196.623	2,503	\$ 131,52
1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6.	3 to 3.99 cubic feet	387	97 414	426	25,419	1	7
2.	4 to 4.99 cubic feet	40,018	2,730,147	12,949	826,432	8,729	570,35
3.	5 to 5.99 cubic feet	42,299	3,617,754	11,614	956,443	8,518 6,833	687,33
4.	6 to 6.99 cubic feet	42,299 22,819 21,743	2,129,738	6,642 5,907	631,210	6,833	687,33 607,93 663,84
5.	7 to 7.99 cubic feet	21,743	2,730,147 3,617,754 2,129,738 2,544,182	5,907	826,432 956,443 631,210 675,667 93,746	5,631	663,84
7.	8 to 9.99 cubic feet		529.894	773	93,746	1,402	158,98
8.	10 to 12.99 cubic feet 13 to 24.00 cubic feet	1,041 98	219,665 24,726	117 48	25,858 11,519	51	10,54 $1,70$
9.	Total Lacquer	144,384	12,437,734	*50,025	*4,027,786	33,675	2,832,30
	Porcelain (Exterior) Cabinets with Systems						
10.	Under 4.99 cubic feet	11,694	980.262	1,352	110 100	1 500	199.00
11.	5 to 5.99 cubic feet	3,650	388,924	994	118,103	1,596 304	133,66
12.	6 to 6.99 cubic feet	6 597	754,838	3,145	267 200	3.202	30,86 365,75
13.	7 to 7.99 cubic feet	6,597 13,710 4,302	1.815.894	3,411	459 228	4,038	525,84
14.	8 to 9.99 cubic feet	4.302	638.226	1.789	277 422	1,827	269 38
15.	10 to 12.99 cubic feet	669	1,815,894 638,226 121,555	1,789 385	103,591 367,289 459,228 277,422 74,652	444	81.13
16.	13 to 24.00 cubic feet	2,014	486,022	331	81,042	175	269,38 81,13 40,26
17.	Total Porcelain	42,636	5,185,721	*15,319	*1,888,498	11,586	1,446,90
19.	Total Lines 9 and 17 Separate Systems Separate Household		<b>17,623,455</b> 1,187,750	*65,344	*5,916,284	45,261	4,279,210
	Low Sides		136,663	334	5,872	119	2,010
<b>21.</b> 22.	Total Lines 18, 19, 20 High Sides, ¼ hp.	222,635		*65,678		45,380	* * * * *
	or Less Cabinets—No Systems	1,092	59,160 $1,721,571$	204 29	$^{11,121}_{2,070}$	. 85	4,464 550
24.	Total Household		20,728,599		*5,935,347		4,286,246
	COMMERCIAL						
	Water Coolers with High Sides	5,957	532,357	2,334	237,459	492	43,690
	Water Coolers with No High Sides	469	26,566	97	5,197	22	1,158
27.	Ice Cream Cabinets with High Sides Ice Cream Cabinets	789	109,441	56	8,052	3	427
	with No High Sides	2,187	290,447	190	22,542	14	1,59
	Beverage Coolers with High Sides	1,297	100,343	172	10,788	168	11,408
30.	Beverage Coolers with No High Sides	914	59,506	196	11,567	58	4,022
31.	Room Coolers with High Sides Room Coolers with	2,051	583,053	287	60,247	142	30,622
	No High Sides	1,956	467,031	213	24,311	39	4,961
33.	Extra High Sides  ½ to ½ hp. Incl  Above ½ to 1 hp. Incl  Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl  Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl	9,083	811,302	1,490	127,043	315	25,897
34.	Above 1/2 to 1 hp. Incl	3,034	396.301	1,227	162,614	262	33,729
35.	Above 1 to 5 hp. Incl	3,082	622,426 66,173	859	181,190	213	44.196
36.	Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl	142	66,173	14	8,421	2	1,113
37.	Above 10 hp	114	107,504				
8. !	Above 10 hp	15,455		*3,647		792	
39.	Total Lines 25, 27, 29, 31, and 38			*6,496		1.597	
_	Extra Commercial	,		-,		-100.	
1	Low Sides	20,578	651,599	3,063	91,176	774	22,605
8	and Cabinets	727	206,854	158	46,853	19	5,454
	Fotal Commercial		5,030,903		997,460		230,873

\*These totals are not the sum of the breakdown figures as two companies do not report on individual items.
†Two companies do not supply figures on Factory, Branch, and Warehouse Inventories.
†Three companies do not supply figures on Distributors Inventories.

# New York State Buys 18% of Refrigerators In September

The following report of sales by states to distributors and dealers is based on the reports of 13 members of the National Electrical Manufacturers Association (Nema) who submitted their sales figures for September, 1934. The names of reporting companies are given in columns one and two.

States and Territories		Sides
Alabama		448
Arizona		41
Arkansas		235
California		2,987
Colorado		167
Connecticut		659
Delaware		47
Dist. of Columbia		156
Florida		1,355
Georgia		594
Idaho		114
Illinois		2,064
Indiana		369
Iowa		239
Kansas		232
Kentucky		250
Louisiana		211
Maine		295
Maryland		650
Massachusetts		1,993
Michigan		787
Minnesota		287
Mississippi		79
Missouri		1,309
Montana		67
Nebraska		121
Nevada		49
New Hampshire		212
New Jersey		1,983
New Mexico		13
New York		7,691
North Carolina		227
North Dakota		43
Ohio		1,661
Oklahoma		197
Oregon		170
Pennsylvania		2,332
Rhode Island		158
South Carolina		157
South Dakota		47
Tennessee		238
Texas		1,472
Utah		113
Vermont		130
Virginia		343
Washington		207
West Virginia		133
Wisconsin		300
Wyoming		36
Total United States	-	22 660
Total Canada		33,668 339
Other Foreign (Including		000
U. S. Possessions		8.113
		0,110

Total for World ...... 42,120

# 25 Shelvadors Installed In Apartment

MINNEAPOLIS—Twenty-five Crosley Shelvador electric refrigerators were recently installed in the apartment building owned by R. F. Newbert here.

Installation was made by Southern Minnesota Supply Co. of Mankato, Minn., Crosley distributor.

# PRODUCTION of Nema Companies Drops in Sept.

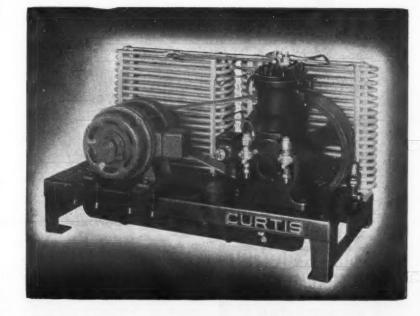
HOUSEHOLD Lacquer (Exterior) Cabinets with Systems	Production; Quantit;
Under 3.00 cubic feet	4,441
<ol> <li>3 to 3.99 cubic feet</li> </ol>	10 605
<ol> <li>4 to 4.99 cubic feet</li> </ol>	10,434 4,276 1,615 1,308
<ol> <li>5 to 5.99 cubic feet</li> </ol>	4,276
<ol> <li>6 to 6.99 cubic feet</li> </ol>	1,615
5. 7 to 7.99 cubic feet 6. 8 to 9.99 cubic feet 7. 10 to 12.99 cubic feet	1.308
6. 8 to 9.99 cubic feet	25
7. 10 to 12.99 cubic feet	3
8. 13 to 24.00 cubic feet	
9. Total Lacquer	*33,485
Porcelain (Exterior) Cabinets with Systems	
10. Under 4.99 cubic feet 11. 5 to 5.99 cubic feet	320
11. 5 to 5.99 cubic feet	670
12 6 to 6.99 cubic feet.	1,098 1,133
13. 7 to 7.99 cubic feet 14. 8 to 9.99 cubic feet 15. 10 to 12.99 cubic feet	1.133
14. 8 to 9.99 cubic feet	646
15. 10 to 12.99 cubic feet	60
<ul><li>15. 10 to 12.99 cubic feet</li><li>16. 13 to 24.00 cubic feet</li></ul>	4
17. Total Porcelain	*4,044
18. Total Lines 9 and 17	*37,529
19. Separate Systems	16,231
20. Separate Household	20,202
Low Sides	2,909
21. Total Lines 18, 19, 20 22. High Sides, ¼ hp.	
ow Toom	1.821
23. Cabinets—No Systems	1,821 $16,899$
24. Total Household	
COMMERCIAL	
25 Water Coolers with	
High Sides	524
High Sides	
No High Sides	8
21. Ite Cream Cabinets	39
	99
28. Ice Cream Cabinets with No High Sides	00
with No High Sides	38
49. Develage Coolers with	
29. Beverage Coolers with High Sides	323
30. Beverage Coolers with	
High Sides	
31. Room Coolers with High Sides	18
32. Room Coolers with	
No High Sides	3
Extra High Sides	
33. ½ to ½ hp. Incl	2,045
34. Above ½ to 1 hp. Incl	431
35. Above 1 to 5 hp. Incl	199
36. Above 5 to 10 hp. Incl	3
37. Above 10 hp	*****
38. Total Lines 33, 34, 35,	
36, and 37	*3,134
39. Total Lines 25, 27, 29, 31, and 38	*4,038
40. Extra Commercial Low Sides41. Miscellaneous Cases	010
Low Sides	812
41. Miscellaneous Cases and Cabinets	30
42. Total Commercial	
42. Total Commercial 43. Totals—Household and	

\*These totals are not the sum of the breakdown figures as two companies do not report on individual items. †Two companies do not supply figures on Production.

# Blind Couple Purchases Westinghouse Unit

PORTLAND, Ore.—Sense of touch and hearing were the main factors in the recent sale of a Westinghouse refrigerator to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Myers, instructors in the Oregon State School for the Blind, who are themselves totally blind.

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# Marsh Introduces New Line of Low Pressure Service Gauges

CHICAGO-A new line of service gauges for low-pressure refrigerants has been announced by the Jas. P. Marsh Corp. here. The new gauges are similar in their basic construction to previous refrigeration gauges built by Marsh, A. D. Rose, sales manager, explains, and they have two added features.

First is the fact that they can be used on service where the pressure applied to the instruments will be the total amount of the dial reading. In the past, Mr. Rose relates, it has been necessary for such gauges to be graduated to twice the highest pressure to which the instruments will be subjected.

#### Use for Full Reading

In the new Marsh gauges, he says it is possible to utilize the gauges to the full dial reading. "This means that where a gauge formerly reading to 100 lbs. was necessary on 50 or 60 lbs. service; now a gauge reading to 60 lbs. is available, with the result that more accurate readings can be taken in service work.'

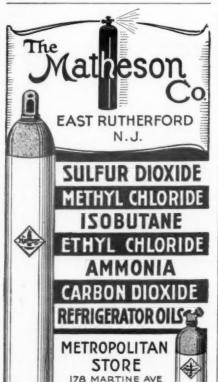
A second feature of the new instruments is the new type of "zero adjustment" by which the service man can re-establish proper accuracy of the gauge by making an adjustment right on the job.

#### Can Correct Relationship

"When a test gauge is knocked out of adjustment, what happens is that the proper relation of the Bourdon tube to the movement mechanism is impaired," Mr. Rose states. "In the new gauges, by merely turning a screw which is located either in the back of the instrument or on the dial, the relationship can be re-established correctly."

In one type, a screw protrudes through the back of the gauge casing to provide the "zero adjustment." In other type, it is necessary to remove the rim and glass, and turn a screw which is located through an opening in the gauge dial.

Internal construction of the new gauges embodies a new type of Bourdon tube which is rolled by a method developed in the Marsh laboratory, Mr. Rose states. The tubes are tempered and seasoned with a process developed particularly for refrigera-tion gauges, he says. The Bourdon multiplying movement, and other parts are rugged in construction, and will withstand a pressure 50 per cent greater than the maximum dial reading without damage, he claims.



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# Melco Will Market Frigidaire Parts

NEW YORK CITY-Melchior, Armstrong, Dessau Co., refrigeration supply and export organization here, is introducing a line of Frigidaire replacement parts manufactured by E. R. Capewell of Philadelphia and Camden, and has issued a catalog on the new stock.

Included in the parts are pistons, flapper valves, connecting rods, eccentrics, eccentric shafts, bellows seal assemblies, piston pins, piston rings, piston valve discs, piston valve disc retainers, flapper valve reeds unpolished, flapper valve reeds polished, flapper valve reed and seat, flapper valve spring and buttons, flapper valve buttons, Woodruff keys, float needles, water valve stems, filters, pads and screens, gaskets.

# Marshalltown Builds Siamese Test Gauge

MARSHALLTOWN, Iowa-A new Siamese test gauge for measuring pressures on the high and low sides of household electric refrigerators has been introduced by the Marshalltown Mfg. Co. of this city.

The instrument is furnished in a square case approximately 4 by 4 in., with two gauges, one for the high pressure side of a system, the other for the low side. High side gauge is graduated from zero to 300 lbs. pressure, while the low side compound gauge reads from 30 in. of vacuum to atmospheric and up to 60 lbs. pressure.

According to J. M. Considine, sales manager of the company, the instrument can be used with any refrigerant which will not attack brass. Connections to both gauges are 1/8-in. female pipe thread. Crystals are nonbreakable. The instrument is supplied in a leatheroid container.

If it should become necessary to reset the pointers to zero, Mr. Considine states, this is accomplished by removing the cover and turning the dial until the pointer is in position.

# Williams & Co. Organizes Refrigeration Division

PITTSBURGH-Williams & Co., Inc., supplier of welding equipment, metals, and tubing for mechanical apparatus, has just established a refrigeration division through which refrigeration supplies will be furnished. The company has three ware-houses—at Cleveland, Cincinnati, and where Pittsburgh refrigeration stocks will be maintained.

Refrigeration equipment to be handled includes belts, commercial cooling units, controls, dehydrators, expansion valves, filters, fittings, gaskets, gauges, ice cream cabinet parts, refrigerants, oils, thermometers, servtools, aluminum tubing, solenoid, water-regulating, and twotemperature valves

### Correction

John E. Hersan, service man Elizabeth, N. J., calls our attention to the fact that illustrations of the suction and discharge valves shown in connection with the article on servicing Majestic standard units were reversed in the Sept. 12 issue of ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION NEWS.

# How to Approximate Flow Of Condensing Water

LOS ANGELES-There is a simple way to check water flow on watercooled condensing units, according to The Liquid Line, house organ published by Refrigeration Service, Inc., of this city. "For all practical purposes, ounces of water in 30 seconds equals gallons per hour. Thus in a half minute, hourly consumption can

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# Issued Oct. 23, 1934 1,977,608. ICE TRAY HEATER. John G. Blystone, Beverly Hills, Calif. Application July 23, 1929. Serial No. 380,321. 4 Claims. (Cl. 62—108.5.) 1. The combination with a refrigerator

ice tray, having double walls and parti-tions, of heating elements imbedded in said double walls and partitions and means including a contact on said tray and a cooperating contact on the refrigerator within which the tray is positioned for delivering heat to said heat elements while the tray is positioned within the refrigerator.

1,977,820. AIR RELEASE DEVICE FOR

1,977,820. AIR RELEASE DEVICE FOR HUMIDIFIERS AND THE LIKE. Edward S. Cornell, Jr., Larchmont, N. Y. Application March 25, 1933. Serial No. 662,723. 2 Claims. (Cl. 219—38.)

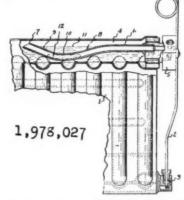
1. An air release device for an associated heating radiator and a therewith connected humidifier provided with a heater unit, the air release device comprising a hollow body provided with a prising a hollow body provided with a nipple portion communicating with a lower portion of the interior of the hollow body, the said nipple portion being arranged to be connected with the radiator through a port in the radiator, said air release device comprising an opening arranged for connection with an air release valve communicating with the interior of the device at a location above the stated region of communication of said lowerly disposed nipple portion, the air release device further comprising an opening communicating with the interior of its hollow body at a location above the stated region of communication of a d disposed nipple portion, said second named opening being arranged for connection and communication with a lowerly portion of the heater element of the humidifier. of the humidifier, the upper portion of the heater element of the humidifier being connected with the interior of the radiator.

1.977.919. METHOD OF REFRIGERA-1,977,919. METHOD OF REFRIGERA-TION. Louis P. Reiss, Dalles, Tex. Ap-plication Aug. 14, 1931. Serial No. 557,026. 3 Claims. (Cl. 62—91.5.) 2. In a refrigerator as described, the

combination with a refrigerant cabinat of means for supporting carbon dioxide ice and water ice therein, and heat conducting means interconnecting the two refrigerants, the water ice being in the:-mal contact with the air currents in the

OIL REMOVING DEVICE 1,978,027. FOR REFRIGERATOR EVAPORATORS Roland H. Money, Cincinnati, Ohio, assignor to The Crosley Radio Corp., Cncinnati, Ohio, a corporation of Ohio. Application June 13, 1933. Serial No. 675,570.

9 Claims. (Cl. 62—126.) 9. In combination with an evaporator of the flooded type, a skimming device lo-cated therein and having a skimming



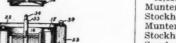
orifice located at the liquid level of refrig-erant in said evaporator, having withdrawal means for gaseous refrigerant ociated with said skimming orifice, and having means in operative connection with said aforementioned means for the collection of lubricant, said last mentioned means being of a size to permit the collection of a quantity of lubricant large enough to pass as a body through said withdrawal means before closing off said

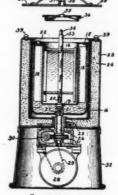
1,978,028. DELIVERY OF REFRIGER-ANT TO EVAPORATORS. Roland H. Money, Cincinnati, Ohio, assignor to The Crosley Radio Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio, a corporation of Ohio. Application March 15, 1934. Serial No. 715,667. 3 Claims. (Cl. 62-126.)

1. In a refrigerating system having an evaporator of the shell type with an upper heater for the withdrawal of gaseous refrigerant and a lower header for the introduction of liquid refrigerant, means for conducting liquid refrigerant in a substantially continuous stream directly from a condenser to one end of said lower header, and means for introducing said refrigerant into said header, said means comprising a thin walled heat conductive tubing extending into said header from said end and terminating in said header in the general region of the mid portion thereof, said tubing delivering refrigerant at its said termination toward opposite end of said header whereby to set up mechanical agitation of the refrigerant in a substantial portion of said header, and said tubing, due to the pass-age of heated refrigerant therethrough, setting up agitation by boiling in the remaining portion of said header, thereby producing conditions of even activity throughout said evaporator.

1,978,176. APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MAKING ICE CREAM. Christ'an Steenstrup, Schenectady, N. Y., assignor to General Electric Co., a corporation of New York. Application June 12, 1928. Serial No. 284,743, 10 Claims. (Cl. 62—114.)

1. A receptacle for making ice cream of





the like, an outer wall forming a sealed chamber surrounding said receptacle and containing a freezing solution, means extending from the wall of said receptacle into said chamber in spaced relation to the outer wall for conducting heat from the receptacle to the freezing solution, and another means extending from the outer wall of said chamber into the same in spaced relation to the wall of said receptacle for conducting heat from the solution in said chamber to cool the same.

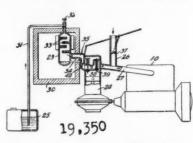
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dium, means for maintaining in heat ex-change relation with the medium therein a substance to be chilled, means for withdrawing a vapor from the container, a liquid-dispersing jet supplied with volatile liquid refrigerant under pressure and discharging in said container in a direction to promote circulation around its ringto promote circulation around its r.ng-like interior of vapor containing dispersed particles of volatile liquid refrigerant, and means for maintaining the ring-like interior of said container unsealed by liquid throughout its ring-like extent.

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19,350. REFRIGERATION. Carl Georg Munters and Sigurd Mattias Backstrom, Stockholm, Sweden, assignors to Platen-Munters Refrigerating System Aktiebolag Stockholm, Sweden, a corporation of Sweden. Original No. 1,864,608, dated June 28, 1932. Serial No. 472,221. Aug. 1, 1930. Application for reissue June 12, 1931 Serial No. 730,348. In Germany Aug. 2, 1929. 36 Claims. (Cl. 62—169.)

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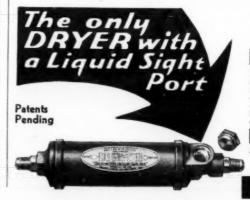


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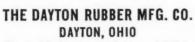
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# **QUESTIONS**

#### Ice Trays

No. 1927 (Chemical Manufacturer, New York)—"One of our customers is making a product to be frozen in household electrical refrigerators. We have been asked to ascertain what effect, if any, the trays generally used in electrical refrigerators will have on this product. We have already tested trays made of aluminum and rubber. We would appreciate your advising just what other products are currently being used by refrigerator manufacturers for trays and, if possible, just which manufacturers use something other than rubber or alumning the statement of the sta inum. This information would enable us to go to such manufacturers for the trays we desire, in order to complete our tests. Your cooperation in this connection will indeed be appre-

Answer: Aluminum is the most commonly used material in the manufacture of ice cube trays, the newest development in the use of this material being the anodic treatment which prevents discoloration. A few years ago most ice cube trays were made of tinned copper.

Flexible rubber ice cube trays have also been extensively used in the last few years. These rubber trays were invented by Lloyd Copeman, a refrigerating engineer, and are made by Inland Mfg. Co. of Dayton, Ohio. McCord Radiator & Mfg. Co. of

Detroit makes a stainless steel ice tray, one cube in width, from which cubes are ejected by flexing the tray along its length.

## Jomoco's Address

No. 1928 (Manufacturer, New York) "We are writing to inquire whether you would be good enough to give us the address of the firm of Jomoco, Inc., makers of household electric refrigerating units. Your assistance in this matter shall be much appreci-

Answer: Jomoco, Inc., Subsidiary of Johnson Motor Co., is located at Waukegan, Ill.

# 'Ceomatic' Refrigerator

No. 1929 (Ice Manufacturer, Indiana)—"In the second column on page 2 of Oct. 10, 1934, ELECTRIC REFRIGERA-TION NEWS appeared an article headed 'Lewis & Conger Show Small Air Conditioner and CO-2 Refrigerator.'

"We would like to get in touch with Morgan & Co. of St. Paul, Minn., given in the article as manufacturers of the Portable Refrigerator or 'Ceomatic.' As our first letter addressed to Morgan & Co. was returned unclaimed, we would appreciate your referring this letter to them. no doubt, have means of reaching them.

"We would like to receive circulars and illustrations, distributors' prices, etc.; also fuller description of their insulation on the 'Ceomatic' and

performance.
"If available, we should also like to receive some information regarding the source of supply and prices on solid CO<sub>2</sub>."

Through an error the Answer: name of the manufacturer of the 'Ceomatic" Portable CO2 Refrigerator was given as Morgan & Co. whereas it should have been Moran & Co. The address of this concern is 602 Globe building, St. Paul, Minn.

The following companies are listed in the 1934 Refrigeration Directory as manufacturers of solid CO2:

American Drylce Corp.
205 E. 42nd St., New York City.
Carbonic Products Corp.
3405 Woolworth Bldg., New York City.
International Carbonic Engineering Co.
Kennett Square, Pa. Mathieson Alkali Works, Inc. 250 Park Ave., New York City. Michigan Alkali Co. 1622 Ford Bldg., Detroit, Mich. Pure Carbonic, Inc. 60 E. 42nd St., New York City. Zero Ice Corp. 14460 Linwood Ave., Detroit, Mich.

# Welsbach Lubricant No. 1930 (Dealer, New Jersey)-

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2. Where same can be obtained. Directions as to quantity and method of adding to units in opera-

Answer: Communicate directly with the Welsbach Co., Gloucester City, New Jersey. This company, while no longer active in the electric field, still maintains a service department for taking care of machines in use.

'Allen' Cooler
No. 1931 (Welfare Commission,
Michigan)—"We have been having considerable trouble obtaining information concerning 'Allen Cooler Outfits, No. 50-B Coil, Unit Cost \$41.24,' and thought that, perhaps, you could

help us.
"What is such a cooler capable of

doing? Would it be of use in the storage of meats on a fairly large scale? Any information that you can give us will be greatly appreciated." Answer: There is no record in our files of an Allen Cooler for meats or vegetables. The Allen Filter Co., 25 S. St. Claire St., Toledo, Ohio, manufactures water-cooling cabinets and accessories, but we have never heard of them building a meat cooler. Some water coolers have a small compartfor bottled goods, but these would be of no consequence for meat storage.

### SO-2 Purchased Yearly

No. 1932 (New Jersey)-"Among your statistics do you have data on the amount of SO<sup>2</sup> purchased yearly by the manufacturers of Sulphur Dioxide machines. Would appreciate having this information as early as is convenient.

"I searched the 1934 REFRIGERATION DIRECTORY but do not find the same. Everything else is there."

# Refrigeration Production

No. 1933 (Furniture Manufacturer, Ohio) "Can you give me any infor-mation regarding the production of electric refrigerators (units) the first eight or nine months of this year, and whether or not the production exceeded the industry quota for the same period of time.'

Answer: No record of unit production by all manufacturers of house hold electric refrigerators has been compiled by Electric Refrigeration News, but monthly production of household low sides by members of the Refrigeration Division of the Na-tional Electrical Manufacturers Association (Nema) was as follows:

January		,500
February .		,387
		,702
April		,830
May		,439
June	121	,655
July		,463
		,606
September		,669
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electric refrigerators totaled 1,272,600 units during the first nine months of 1934, being about 33 per cent ahead of the 956,800 units estimated for the same period of 1933. (See page 1 of this issue).

### Ribbon Ice Manufacturers

No. 1934 (Manufacturer, Ohio)-"We have received an inquiry for the manufacture of ribbon ice.

"We understand that there is some method where ice is frozen and then rotated out in small blocks.

"We are not familiar with this equipment and we are wondering if you have any information concerning it."

Answer: There are two manufacturers of ribbon ice. York Ice Machinery Corp., York, Pa., makes a "FlakIce" machine, and the Vilter Mfg. Co., builds what is called the "PakIce" machine.

# C. E. Phillips & Co., Address

No. 1935 (Spain)—"In one of your past issues I noted reference to a metal spray process developed by C. E. Phillips & Co. of Detroit. A letter addressed to this company has not been replied, and I would like very much to know if you can give me the correct name and addre

Answer: Address C. E. Phillips & Co., 5443 Twelfth St., Detroit, Mich.

# Refrigerator Saturation

No. 1936 (Laundry Co., New York) —"Please advise us what percentage of homes in America are equipped with mechanical refrigeration

Answer: As of Jan. 1, 1934, ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION NEWS estimated that there were about 4,665,000 household electric refrigerators in use in the United States making the national wired homes saturation about 23.5 per

During the first nine months of 1934, an estimated 1,183,600 household electric refrigerators were sold in the United States. Making a rough allowance for obsolescence and replace-ment for the first nine months and adding this year's sales to date, there are roughly 5,650,000 refrigerators now in use, making the wired homes saturation in the vicinity of 27.5 per

# Department Store Sales

No. 1937 (Michigan)—"For what percentage of total household electric refrigerator sales were department stores responsible in 1933 and are they increasing their relative posi-tion in 1934? I would also like a comparison of the percentage of sales made by department stores and other sales outlets since 1926."

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